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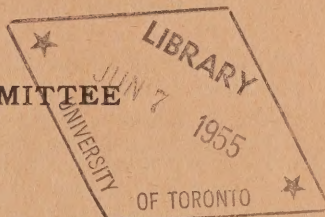
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No. 11

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1955

ADDENDUM TO MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THURSDAY,
MARCH 24, 1955

On Section 31—(See page 158 of the printed record of proceedings and evidence.)

The resolution moved by Mr. Viau and adopted by the Committee on that day should be corrected by adding thereto the following subsection:

(7) Whenever the returning officer is unable to secure suitable premises to be used as a polling station within a polling division, he may, with the prior permission of the Chief Electoral Officer, establish such polling station in an adjacent polling division, and upon the establishment of such polling station all provisions of this Act apply as if such polling station were within the polling division to which it appertains.

It will be noted that the aforesaid subsection had, on March 10th, already been agreed to. (See page 69 of the printed record of proceedings and evidence.)

Antoine Chassé,
Clerk of the Committee.

ORDERS OF REFERENCE

WEDNESDAY, April 20, 1955.

Ordered,—That the name of Mr. Knowles be substituted for that of Mr. Bryson on the said Committee.

WEDNESDAY, April 27, 1955.

Ordered,—That the name of Mr. Viau be substituted for that of Mr. Weaver on the said Committee.

Attest.

Leon J. Raymond,
Clerk of the House.

REPORT TO THE HOUSE

FRIDAY, 29th April, 1955.

The Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections begs leave to present the following as a

SECOND REPORT

Pursuant to the Order of Reference of Friday, 25th February, 1955, insofar as it relates to the Canada Elections Act, your Committee has given careful study to the said Act and to the amendments thereto suggested by the Chief Electoral Officer and the Department of National Defence. It has also considered representations from the Department of External Affairs, the Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources and from various other sources, as may be seen by a reading of the evidence adduced by the Committee.

The conclusions reached by the Committee are embodied in the attached draft bill, the provisions of which are recommended for adoption and to that end your Committee further recommends that the Government give at the earliest possible date consideration to the advisability of introducing the necessary legislation to give effect to the provisions contained in the said draft bill.

A printed copy of the evidence relating to the above matter is tabled herewith.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

G. ROY McWILLIAM,
Chairman.

DRAFT BILL

An Act to amend the Canada Elections Act.

R.S., cc. 23,
306, 334, ss.
8, 9; 1952-53,
c. 24, s. 7.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. (1) Subsection (14) of section 2 of the French version of the *Canada Elections Act*, chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1952, is repealed and the following substituted therefor: 5

"Heures
du jour,"

"(14) "heures du jour" et toutes les autres mentions de l'heure dans la présente loi ont trait à l'heure solaire;"

(2) Paragraph (b) of subsection (15) of section 2 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor: 10

"(b) in relation to any place or territory within a judicial district, other than the judicial district of Quebec or Montreal, in the Province of Quebec for which a judge of the Superior Court has been appointed, the judge so appointed, or where there is more than one such judge, the senior of them;" 15

(3) Subsection (15) of section 2 of the said Act is further amended by deleting the word "and" at the end of paragraph (d) thereof and all the words following paragraph (e) thereof, by adding the word "and" at the end of paragraph (e) thereof and by adding thereto the following paragraph: 20

R.S., cc. 23,
334, s. 9.

"(f) in relation to any place or territory in Canada where there is no judge as defined in paragraphs (a) to (e) or a vacancy exists or arises in the office of any such judge or where such judge is unable to act by reason of illness or absence from his judicial district, the judge exercising the jurisdiction of such judge, and if there is more than one judge exercising such jurisdiction, the senior of them, and if no judge is exercising such jurisdiction, any judge designated for the purpose by the Minister of Justice." 25 30

The various amendments contained in this Draft Bill have been recommended by the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections in their second report dated 29th April, 1955.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Clause 1. To clarify the French version of the present section 2 (14) which reads as follows:

"(14) "heures du jour" et toutes les autres mentions de l'heure dans la présente loi ont trait à l'heure *normale*;"

(2) To provide that the judge appointed for any judicial district in the Province of Quebec, other than the judicial districts of Quebec and Montreal, will be the judge as therein defined. The present paragraph (*b*) of section 2 (15) reads as follows:

"(*b*) in relation to any place or territory within *the* judicial districts of *St. Francis and Three Rivers*, in the Province of Quebec, *the resident judge of the Superior Court*;"

(3) To provide a different mode of appointment of a substitute judge when the judge as defined in the preceding paragraphs of section 2 (15) is not available. The words appearing after paragraph (*e*) to be deleted are as follows:

"*and if there is no such judge in any place or territory in Canada or the judge is unable to act, means the judge designated for the purpose by the Governor in Council*;"

2. Subsection (1) of section 11 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Revision of
boundaries of
polling
divisions.

"11. (1) The polling divisions shall be those established for the last general election, unless the returning officer considers that a revision of the boundaries thereof is necessary and, in such case, he shall give due consideration to the polling divisions established by municipal and provincial authorities, and to geographical and all other factors that may affect the convenience of the electors in casting their votes at the appropriate polling station, which shall be established by the returning officer at a convenient place in the polling division, or as prescribed in subsection (6) or (7) of section 31; in the event of such revision being necessary, it is the duty of the returning officer, when instructed by the Chief Electoral Officer, and subject to the foregoing provisions, to reallocate and define the boundaries of the polling divisions of his electoral district so that each polling division shall whenever practicable contain approximately three hundred and fifty electors."

Repeal and
relettering.

3. (1) Subsection (2) of section 14 of the said Act is amended by adding the word "and" at the end of paragraph (g) thereof, by repealing paragraph (h) thereof and by relettering paragraph (i) thereof as paragraph (h).

Residence
qualifications
of members of
the Canadian
Forces.

(2) Subsection (6) of section 14 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(6) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is entitled to vote

- (a) at a by-election only at the place of his ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22 of those Regulations, and
- (b) at a general election only under the procedure set forth in those Regulations, or, if he has not voted under that procedure, at the place of his ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22 of those Regulations."

4. All that portion of subsection (3) of section 15 of the said Act following paragraph (c) thereof is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(d) persons employed, whether casually or for the period of the election or part thereof, in advertising of any kind or as clerks, stenographers or messengers on behalf of a candidate, the total number of persons employed under this paragraph not to exceed one for each five hundred electors in the electoral district; the official agent shall communicate the name, address and occupation of every person employed under this paragraph, in writing, to the returning officer who shall, in turn, communicate such name, address and occupation to the deputy returning officer of the appropriate polling station."

Clause 2. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 10. The present section 11 (1) reads as follows:

"11. (1) The polling divisions shall be those established for the last general election, unless the returning officer considers that a revision of the boundaries thereof is necessary and, in such case, he shall give due consideration to the polling divisions established by municipal and provincial authorities, and to geographical and all other factors that may affect the convenience of the electors in casting their votes at the appropriate polling station, which shall be established by the returning officer at a convenient place in the polling division, or as prescribed in subsection (6) of section 31; in the event of such revision being necessary, it is the duty of the returning officer, when instructed by the Chief Electoral Officer, and subject to the foregoing provisions, to reallocate and define the boundaries of the polling divisions of his electoral district so that each polling division shall whenever practicable contain approximately three hundred and fifty electors."

Clause 3. (1) Paragraph (h) of subsection (2) of section 14 is repealed as the only province that had legislation of the kind mentioned therein has now repealed such legislation. Paragraph (h) of the present subsection (2) of section 14 now reads as follows:

"(h) in any province, every person exempted or entitled to claim exemption or who on production of any certificate might have become or would now be entitled to claim exemption from military service by reason of the Order in Council of December 6th, 1898, because the doctrines of his religion make him averse to bearing arms, and who is by the law of that province disqualified from voting at an election of a member of the legislative assembly of that province; and"

(2) Consequential to the proposed change in terminology in Clause 39. The present section 14 (6) reads as follows:

"(6) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20 of The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations, is entitled to vote at a by-election only in the electoral district in which is situated the place of his ordinary residence as prescribed in paragraph 22 of the said Regulations."

Clause 4. The latter portion of subsection (3) of section 15 was so drafted that it was doubtful whether it applied to the persons mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (d) of subsection (3) or to those mentioned in paragraph (d) only. The Statute Revision Committee construed it as applying to the persons mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (d). This amendment makes it clear that that portion of subsection (3) applies only to the persons mentioned in paragraph (d). All that portion of section 15 (3) appearing after paragraph (c) thereof now reads as follows:

"(d) persons employed, whether casually or for the period of the election or part thereof, in advertising of any kind, or as clerks or stenographers or as messengers on behalf of a candidate, but the total number of persons employed under the provisions of this paragraph shall not exceed one for each five hundred electors in the electoral district;

the name, address and occupation of every such person so employed shall be communicated, in writing, to the returning officer who shall, in turn, communicate such name, address and occupation to the deputy returning officer of the appropriate polling station."

5. Subsection (5) of section 16 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Members of
the Canadian
Forces.

"(5) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, shall be deemed to continue to ordinarily reside in the place of his ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22 of those Regulations."

6. (1) All that portion of subsection (5) of section 17 of the said Act preceding paragraph (a) thereof is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Printing of
preliminary
lists for urban
and rural
polling
divisions.

"(5) The returning officer shall wherever possible cause the preliminary lists for both urban and rural polling divisions to be printed at a printing establishment situated in or near his electoral district, and shall have the printing thereof completed not later than Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day before polling day; the printing of the preliminary lists of electors shall be in accordance with the specimen forms supplied by the Chief Electoral Officer; the preliminary list of electors for every polling division printed by the returning officer shall bear the name and address of the printer and a certificate by the returning officer that such print accurately sets out all the names, addresses and occupations of the electors as prepared by the enumerator or enumerators for the polling division to which such list relates; the arrangement of names on the lists shall be as follows:"

(2) Section 17 of the said Act is further amended by adding thereto immediately after subsection (5) thereof the following subsection:

Reproduction
of preliminary
lists where
returning
officer unable
to have them
printed.

"(5a) Where by reason of lack of printing facilities or of time or for any other reason, a returning officer is unable to cause the preliminary list of electors for any polling division to be printed in accordance with the requirements of this Act, he shall, wherever possible and with the prior approval of the Chief Electoral Officer, cause such list to be reproduced by any other means, and a preliminary list so reproduced shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed, except in subsections (6) to (8), to be printed; the preliminary list for every polling division reproduced by the returning officer under this subsection shall bear a certificate by the returning officer that such reproduction accurately sets out all the names, addresses and occupations of the electors as prepared by the enumerator or enumerators for the polling division to which such list relates; the arrangement of names on the lists shall be the same as is provided for printed preliminary lists by paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (5); where a preliminary list is reproduced in accordance with

Clause 5. Consequential to the proposed change in terminology in Clause 39. The present section 16 (5) reads as follows:

"(5) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, shall be deemed to continue to ordinarily reside in the place of his ordinary residence as *prescribed in paragraph 22 of the said Regulations.*"

Clause 6. (1) The words "upon its face" have been eliminated. The name and address of the printer and the certificate referred to cannot always appear on the face of the printed preliminary lists of electors. All that portion of section 17 (5) preceding paragraph (a) thereof now reads as follows:

"(5) The returning officer shall wherever possible cause the preliminary lists for both urban and rural polling divisions to be printed at a printing establishment situated in or near his electoral district, and shall have the printing thereof completed not later than Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day before polling day; the printing of the preliminary lists of electors shall be in accordance with the specimen forms supplied by the Chief Electoral Officer; the preliminary list of electors for every polling division printed by the returning officer shall bear *upon its face* the name and address of the printer and a certificate by the returning officer that such print accurately sets out all the names, addresses and occupations of the electors, as prepared by the enumerator or enumerators, for the polling division to which such list relates; the arrangement of names on the lists shall be as follows:"

(2) New. To provide alternative methods of producing preliminary lists of electors when, for the reasons set out, the returning officer is unable to have such lists printed.

this subsection, the returning officer shall furnish the Chief Electoral Officer and each candidate with two copies thereof."

(3) Rule (17) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Rule (17). For every urban polling division, the judge as defined in subsection (15) of section 2 is the *ex officio* revising officer."

(4) Rule (20) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Rule (20). The returning officer shall, when so instructed by the Chief Electoral Officer, group together the urban polling divisions comprised in his electoral district into revisal districts, each containing such number of urban polling divisions as the Chief Electoral Officer may direct, and shall prepare descriptions of such revisal districts."

(5) Rules (23) and (24) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Rule (23). Forthwith on receipt of the notification mentioned in Rule (22), the returning officer shall, not later than Thursday, the twenty-fifth day before polling day, cause to be printed a notice of revision in Form No. 14 listing the numbers of the polling divisions comprised in every revisal district established by him, giving the name of the revising officer appointed for each thereof, setting out the revisal office at which such revising officer will attend for the revision of the lists of electors and stating the days and times during which such revisal office will be open; at least four days before the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, the returning officer shall cause two copies of such notice to be posted up in conspicuous places in each urban polling division comprised in his electoral district; immediately after the printing of the notice in Form No. 14, the returning officer shall transmit or deliver five copies thereof to every candidate officially nominated at the pending election in the electoral district, and, at the discretion of the returning officer, to every other person reasonably expected to be so nominated or to his representative."

Rule (24). Before ten o'clock in the forenoon of the day when the sittings for revision commence, the revising officer of each revisal district shall cause an additional five copies of the notice mentioned in Rule (23) to be posted up outside of and near to the revisal office where he will sit to revise the lists; the revising officer shall see

(3) Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 1
(3). The present Rule (17) reads as follows:

"Rule (17). For every urban polling division, the judge as defined in subsection (15) of section 2 is the ex officio revising officer; in the event of there being or arising a vacancy in the office of ex officio revising officer, another judge for the same district, if any, shall thereupon become or be named ex officio revising officer, and if there is none or none is named, the Governor in Council may nominate a person to be substitute for the ex officio revising officer pending the appointment or nomination of a new judge."

(4) To enable the Chief Electoral Officer to instruct returning officers to complete as much of the preliminary work as possible before the writ ordering an election issues. The present Rule (20) reads as follows:

"Rule (20). The returning officer shall, as soon as he conveniently can after the receipt by him of notice of the issue of a writ for an election in his electoral district, group together the urban polling divisions comprised in his electoral district into revisal districts, each containing such number of urban polling divisions as the Chief Electoral Officer may direct, and shall prepare descriptions of the boundaries of such revisal districts."

(5) The proposed amendment to Rule (23) is to shorten the printed notice of revision by eliminating the descriptions of the boundaries of the revisal districts. The proposed amendment to Rule (24) is consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 6 (6). The present Rules (23) and (24) read as follows:

"Rule (23). Forthwith on receipt of such notification the returning officer shall, not later than Thursday, the twenty-fifth day before polling day, cause to be printed a notice of revision in Form No. 14, describing the boundaries of every revisal district established by him, giving the name of the revising officer appointed for each thereof, setting out the revisal office at which such revising officer will attend for the revision of the lists of electors, and stating the day and time during which such revisal office will be open; it shall also be stated in the said notice the days and hours before the first day of sittings for revision, and the address at which each revising officer shall be in attendance to complete Affidavits of Objection in Form No. 15; at least four days before the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, the returning officer shall cause two copies of such notice to be posted up in conspicuous places in each urban polling division comprised in his electoral district. Immediately after the printing of the notice in Form No 14, the returning officer shall transmit or deliver five copies thereof to every candidate officially nominated at the pending election in the electoral district, and, at the discretion of the returning officer, to every other person reasonably expected to be so officially nominated or to his representative."

Rule (24). Before ten o'clock in the forenoon of the day when the sittings for revision commence, the revising officer of each revisal district shall cause an additional five copies of the above mentioned notice to be posted up outside of and near to the revisal office where he will sit to revise the lists; the revising officer shall see that the latter copies are replaced as circumstances require in order that the specified number of copies may remain duly posted up during the three days of sittings for revision."

that the latter copies are replaced as circumstances require in order that the specified number of copies may remain duly posted up during the days of sittings for revision."

(6) Rules (26) to (28) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted 5 therefor:

"*Rule (26)*. The sittings of the revising officers for the revision of the lists of electors shall be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the eighteenth, seventeenth and sixteenth days before polling day, and, subject to Rule (36), 10 on Tuesday, the thirteenth day before polling day; such sittings shall commence at ten o'clock in the forenoon on those days and shall continue for at least one hour and during such time thereafter as may be necessary to deal with the business ready to be disposed of; moreover, on 15 each of those days, every revising officer shall sit at his revisal office for the revision of the lists of electors from seven o'clock to ten o'clock in the evening; if any of those days is a holiday as defined in the *Interpretation Act*, the day for the commencement or continuation of the sittings 20 for revision may be postponed accordingly.

Rule (27). At the sittings for revision on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the eighteenth, seventeenth and sixteenth days before polling day, the revising officer shall have jurisdiction to and shall dispose of 25

- (a) personal applications made by electors whose names were omitted from the preliminary list;
- (b) sworn applications made by agents, on Forms Nos. 17 and 18, on behalf of persons claiming the right to have their names included in the official list of electors, 30 pursuant to Rule (33); and
- (c) verbal applications for the correction of names or particulars of electors appearing on the preliminary list.

Rule (28). During the sittings for revision on Thursday 35 and Friday, the eighteenth and seventeenth days before polling day, whenever an elector whose name appears on the preliminary list of electors prepared in connection with a pending election for one of the polling divisions comprised in a given revisal district subscribes to an Affidavit of 40 Objection in Form No.15 before the revising officer appointed for such revisal district alleging the disqualification as an elector at the pending election of a person whose name appears on one of such preliminary lists, the revising officer shall, not later than Friday, the seventeenth day before 45 polling day, transmit, by registered mail, to the person, the appearance of whose name upon such preliminary list

(6) The proposed amendment to Rule (26) is to provide urban electors and candidates more time to examine lists of electors before the sittings for revision for the purpose of filing sworn notices of objection. The proposed amendments to Rules (27) and (28) are consequential to the proposed amendment to Rule (26). The present Rules (26) to (28) read as follows:

"Rule (26). The sittings of the revising officers for the revision of the lists of electors shall commence at ten o'clock in the forenoon of Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, the eighteenth, seventeenth, and sixteenth days before polling day, and shall continue for at least one hour and during such time thereafter as may be necessary to deal with the business ready to be disposed of, provided that, if any of such days is a holiday as defined in the Interpretation Act, the date for the commencement or continuation of the sittings for revision may be postponed accordingly; moreover, on each of the three days fixed for the sittings for revision, every revising officer shall sit continuously at his revisal office for the revision of the lists of electors from seven o'clock until ten o'clock in the evenings of these three days.

Rule (27). At the sittings for revision, the revising officer shall have jurisdiction to and shall dispose of

- (a) personal applications made by electors whose names were omitted from the preliminary list;*
- (b) sworn applications made by agents, on Forms Nos. 17 and 18, on behalf of persons claiming the right to have their names included in the list of electors, pursuant to Rule (33);*
- (c) verbal applications for the correction of names or particulars of electors appearing on the preliminary list; and*
- (d) any objection made on oath, in Form No. 15, to the inclusion of any name on the preliminary lists of electors, of which he himself has given notice to the elector concerned, in Form No. 16, pursuant to Rule 28.*

Rule (28). During the three days immediately preceding the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, whenever an elector whose name appears on the preliminary list of electors prepared in connection with a pending election, for one of the polling divisions comprised in a given revisal district, subscribes to an Affidavit of Objection in Form No. 15, before the revising officer appointed for such revisal district, alleging the disqualification as an elector at the pending election of a person whose name appears on one of such preliminary lists, the revising officer shall, not later than the day immediately preceding the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, transmit, by registered mail, to the person, the appearance of whose name upon such preliminary list is objected to, at his address as given on such preliminary list and also at the other address, if any, mentioned in such affidavit, a Notice to Person Objected to, in Form No. 16, advising the person mentioned in such affidavit that he may appear personally or by representative before the said revising officer, during his sittings for revision, to establish his right, if any, to have his name retained on such preliminary list; with each copy of such notice, the revising officer shall transmit a copy of the relevant Affidavit of Objection; on each of the three days immediately preceding the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, the revising officer shall keep himself available during at least three hours in the afternoons or evenings of such days, at the address given in the Notice of Revision in Form No. 14, to complete, as required, Affidavits of Objection and Notices to Persons Objected to, and to despatch copies of such affidavits and notices to the persons concerned."

is objected to, at his address as given on such preliminary list and also at the other address, if any, mentioned in such affidavit, a Notice to Person Objected to, in Form No. 16, advising the person mentioned in such affidavit that he may appear personally or by representative before the said revising officer during his sittings for revision on Tuesday, the thirteenth day before polling day, to establish his right, if any, to have his name retained on such preliminary list; with each copy of such notice, the revising officer shall transmit a copy of the relevant Affidavit of Objection." 10

(7) Rules (32) and (33) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"*Rule (32).* Any person claiming to be entitled to be registered as an elector in any revisal district may apply in person, without previous notice, before the revising officer to have his name entered on the appropriate official list of electors at the sittings of the revising officer for such revisal district on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the eighteenth, seventeenth and sixteenth days before polling day, and if such person answers to the satisfaction of the revising officer all such relevant questions as the revising officer deems necessary and proper to put to him, the revising officer shall insert the name and particulars of the applicant in the revising officer's record sheets as an accepted application for registration in the official list of electors of the polling division where such person ordinarily resides." 15 20 25

Rule (33). In the absence of and as the equivalent of personal attendance before him of a person claiming to be registered as an elector, the revising officer may, at the sittings for revision held by him on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the eighteenth, seventeenth and sixteenth days before polling day, accept, as an application for registration made by an agent, from any person appearing before him who is an elector and whose name appears on the printed preliminary list for one of the polling divisions comprised in the electoral district in which the revising officer's revisal district is situated, a sworn application of that elector in Form No. 17 exhibiting an application in Form No. 18, signed by the person who desires to be registered as an elector; if such person is then temporarily absent from the place of his ordinary residence, a sworn application may be made in the alternative Form No. 18 by a relative by blood or marriage, or by his employer, and in such event the revising officer may, if satisfied that the person on whose behalf the application is made is qualified as an elector, insert the name and particulars of that person in the revising officer's record sheets as an accepted application for registration on 30 35 40 45

(7) Consequential to the proposed amendment to Rule (26) in Clause 6 (6). The present Rules (32) and (33) read as follows:

"Rule (32). Any person claiming to be entitled to be registered as an elector in any revisal district may apply in person, without previous notice, before the revising officer to have his name entered on the appropriate list of electors at *any* sitting of the revising officer for such revisal district, and if such person answers to the satisfaction of the revising officer all such relevant questions as the revising officer *shall* deem necessary and proper to put to him, the revising officer shall insert the name and particulars of the applicant in the revising officer's record as an accepted application for registration in the list of electors of the polling division *wherein* such person resides.

Rule (33). In the absence of and as the equivalent of personal attendance before him of a person claiming to be registered as an elector, the revising officer may, at *any* sitting for revision held by him, accept, as an application for registration made by an agent, from any person appearing before him who is an elector and whose name appears on the printed preliminary list for one of the polling divisions comprised in the electoral district in which the revising officer's revisal district is situated, a sworn application of that elector in Form No. 17, exhibiting an application in Form No. 18, signed by the person who desires to be registered as an elector; if such person is then temporarily absent from the place of his ordinary residence, a sworn application may be made in the alternative Form No. 18 by a relative by blood or marriage, or by his employer, and in such event the revising officer may, if satisfied that the person on whose behalf the application is made is qualified as an elector, insert the name and particulars of that person in the revising officer's record sheets as an accepted application for registration on the official list of electors for the polling division *wherein* such person ordinarily resides; the two applications shall be printed on the same sheet and shall be kept attached."

the official list of electors for the polling division where such person ordinarily resides; the two applications shall be printed on the same sheet and shall be kept attached."

(8) Rule (36) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Rule (36). Where under Rule (28) any objection has been made on oath in Form No. 15 to the retention of the name of any person on the preliminary list and the revising officer has given notice under that Rule to the person of such objection in Form No. 16, the revising officer shall hold sittings for revision on Tuesday, the thirteenth day before polling day; during his sittings for revision on that day, the revising officer has jurisdiction to and shall determine and dispose of all such objections of which he has so given notice; if the revising officer has given no such notice he shall not hold any sitting for revision on the Tuesday aforesaid."

7. Lines one and two of subsection (1) of section 18 of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Proclamation
by returning
officer.

"18. (1) Within two days after the receipt of the writ of election or within six days after he has been notified"

8. Subsection (3) of section 21 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Nomination
day.

"(3) The day for the close of nominations (in this Act referred to as nomination day) in the electoral districts specified in Schedule Four shall be Monday, the twenty-eighth day before polling day, and in all other electoral districts shall be Monday, the twenty-first day before polling day."

9. Subsection (2) of section 23 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Notice and
proclamation
of new
nomination
and polling
days.

"(2) Notice of the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates, which shall not be more than one month from the death of the candidate whose death is the cause for fixing such new day nor less than twenty days from the issue of the notice, shall be given by a further proclamation distributed and posted up as specified in section 18, and there shall also be named by such proclamation a new day for polling, which shall, in the electoral districts specified in Schedule Four, be Monday the twenty-eighth day after the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates, and, in all other electoral districts, be Monday, the twenty-first day after the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates."

(8) Consequential to the proposed amendment to Rule (26) in Clause 6 (6). The present Rule (36) reads as follows:

"Rule (36). During his sittings for revision the revising officer shall hear and determine all objections made upon oath before him under Rule (28) and of which notice has been properly given by him under the said rule."

Clause 7. To provide more time for the printing and the distribution of the proclamation. Lines one and two of the present section 18 (1) read as follows:

"18. (1) Within two days after the receipt of the writ of election or within two days after he has been notified"

Clause 8. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 36. The present section 21 (3) reads as follows:

"(3) The day for the close of nominations (in this Act referred to as nomination day) in the electoral districts specified in Schedule Four shall be Monday, the twenty-eighth day before polling day, and in all other electoral districts shall be Monday, the fourteenth day before polling day."

Clause 9. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 8. The present section 23 (2) reads as follows:

"(2) Notice of the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates, which shall not be more than one month from the death of such candidate nor less than twenty days from the issue of the notice, shall be given by a further proclamation distributed and posted up as specified in section 18, and there shall also be named by such proclamation a new day for polling, which shall, in the electoral districts specified in Schedule Four, be Monday the twenty-eighth day after the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates, and, in all other electoral districts, be Monday, the fourteenth day after the new day fixed for the nomination of candidates."

10. Subsection (6) of section 31 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Central
polling place.

“(6) The returning officer may, with the prior permission, and shall upon the direction of the Chief Electoral Officer, establish a central polling place where the polling stations of all or any of the polling divisions of any locality may be centralized, but no central polling place so established shall comprise more than ten polling divisions unless it is the usual practice in a locality to establish a central polling place for civic, municipal or provincial elections and it is desirable in the opinion of the Chief Electoral Officer to follow that practice in an election under this Act, and upon the establishment of a central polling place under this subsection all provisions of this Act apply as if every polling station at such central polling place were within the polling division of the electoral district to which it appertains. 5 10 15

Polling
station in
adjacent
polling
division.

(7) Whenever the returning officer is unable to secure suitable premises to be used as a polling station within a polling division, he may, with the prior permission of the Chief Electoral Officer, establish such polling station in an adjacent polling division, and upon the establishment of such polling station all provisions of this Act apply as if such polling station were within the polling division to which it appertains.” 20 25

11. Subsection (4) of section 34 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Agents may
absent
themselves
from poll.

“(4) Agents of candidates or electors representing candidates may absent themselves from and return to the polling station at any time before the close of the poll.” 30

12. Subsection (4) of section 49 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Flags,
ribbons or
favours
not to be
furnished
or worn.

“(4) No person shall furnish or supply any flag, ribbon, label or like favour to or for any person with intent that it be worn or used by any person within any electoral district on the day of election or polling, or within two days before such day, or during the continuance of such election, by any person, as a party badge to distinguish the wearer as the supporter of any candidate, or of the political or other opinions entertained or supposed to be entertained by such candidate; and no person shall use or wear any flag, ribbon, label, or other favour, as such badge, within any electoral district on the day of any such election or polling, or within two days before such day.” 35 40

Clause 10. The proposed amendment to section 31 (6) is to provide authority for the Chief Electoral Officer to grant permission, under certain conditions, for the establishment of central polling places in any locality. The present section 31 (6) reads as follows:

"(6) The returning officer may, with the prior permission, and shall upon the direction of the Chief Electoral Officer, establish *in any city or town of not more than ten thousand population* a central polling place *whereat* the polling stations of all or any of the polling divisions of *such city or town* may be centralized, and upon the establishment of *such* central polling place all provisions of this Act apply as if every polling station at such central polling place were within the polling division of the electoral district to which it appertains."

Section 31 (7) is new. The proposed amendment is to provide authority for the Chief Electoral Officer to grant permission for the establishment of a polling station outside the boundaries of the polling division for which it is established.

Clause 11. Agents of candidates could not return to a polling station unless they did so within one hour of the close of the poll. The proposed amendment is to allow them to return at any time before the close of the poll. The present section 34 (4) reads as follows:

"(4) Agents of candidates or electors representing candidates may absent themselves from and return to the polling station at any time before *one hour previous* to the close of the poll."

Clause 12. The proposed amendment is to reduce to two days the period of eight days provided in this subsection. The present section 49 (4) reads as follows:

"(4) No person shall furnish or supply any flag, ribbon, label or like favour to or for any person with intent that it be worn or used by any person within any electoral district on the day of election or polling, or within *eight* days before such day, or during the continuance of such election, by any person, as a party badge to distinguish the wearer as the supporter of any candidate, or of the political or other opinions entertained or supposed to be entertained by such candidate; and no person shall use or wear any flag, ribbon, label, or other favour, as such badge, within any electoral district on the day of any such election or polling, or within *eight* days before such day."

13. Subsection (10) of section 50 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Ballot box, preliminary statement of the poll and account to be delivered to returning officer.

"(10) The deputy returning officer shall, with the ballot box, transmit or deliver to the returning officer in the envelope provided for that purpose

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- (a) the preliminary statement of the poll in the form prescribed by the Chief Electoral Officer, and
- (b) the polling station account filled in and signed by the deputy returning officer."

14. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 54 of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Application to a judge for recount.

"**54.** (1) If, within four days after the date on which the returning officer has declared the name of the candidate who has obtained the largest number of votes, it is made to appear, on the affidavit of a credible witness, to the judge hereinafter described, that a deputy returning officer in counting the votes has improperly counted or improperly rejected any ballot papers or has made an incorrect statement of the number of votes cast for any candidate, or that the returning officer has improperly added up the votes, and if the applicant deposits within the said period with the clerk or prothonotary of the court to which such judge belongs the sum of one hundred dollars in legal tender or in the bills of any chartered bank doing business in Canada as security for the costs of the candidate who has obtained the largest number of votes, such judge shall appoint a time to recount the said votes, which time shall, subject to subsection (3), be within four days after the receipt of the said affidavit.

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Meaning of "judge".

(2) The judge to whom applications under this section may be made shall be the judge as defined in subsection (15) of section 2 within whose judicial district is situated the place where the official addition of the votes was held or the judge acting for such judge pursuant to paragraph (f) of that subsection or a judge designated by the Minister of Justice under that paragraph, and any judge who is authorized to act by this section may act, to the extent so authorized, either within or without his judicial district."

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15. Section 59 of the said Act is amended by adding thereto, immediately after subsection (2) thereof, the following subsection:

Election documents or election papers receivable in evidence when certified by Chief Electoral Officer.

"(2a) Where a Superior Court or a judge thereof has ordered the production of any election documents or election papers, the Chief Electoral Officer need not, unless the court or judge otherwise orders, appear

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Clause 13. To make this subsection conform to subsection (9) of section 50 and to simplify procedure with regard to polling station accounts. The present section 50 (10) reads as follows:

"(10) The deputy returning officer shall, with the ballot box, transmit or deliver to the returning officer, in the envelope provided for that purpose, *the key of such ballot box*, the preliminary statement of the poll in the form prescribed by the Chief Electoral Officer and the polling station account *furnished him in blank by the returning officer, having first caused it to be filled in and signed by the officials of his polling station entitled to fees, and by the landlord thereof, if any, and if under subsection (11) the ballot box is returned to the returning officer post free, registered, the envelope containing the key thereof, the preliminary statement of the poll and the polling station account shall likewise be transmitted at the same time.*"

Clause 14. (1) Clarification. (2) Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 1 (3). The present subsections (1) and (2) of section 54 read as follows:

"54. (1) If, within four days after the date on which the returning officer has declared the name of the candidate who has obtained the largest number of votes, it is made to appear, on the affidavit of a credible witness, to the judge hereinafter described, that a deputy returning officer in counting the votes has improperly counted or improperly rejected any ballot papers or has made an incorrect statement of the number of votes cast for any candidate, or that the returning officer has improperly added up the votes, and if the applicant deposits within the said period with the clerk or prothonotary of the court to which such judge belongs the sum of one hundred dollars in legal tender or in the bills of any chartered bank doing business in Canada, as security for the costs of the candidate who has obtained the largest number of votes, *the said judge shall appoint a time within four days after the receipt of the said affidavit to recount the said votes.*

(2) The judge to whom applications under this section may be made shall be the judge as defined in subsection (15) of section 2 within whose judicial district is situated the place *whereat* the official addition of the votes was held, and any judge who is authorized to act by this section may act, to the extent so authorized, either within or without his judicial district."

Clause 15. New. To make it possible for election documents or election papers to be produced in court without the personal appearance of the Chief Electoral Officer.

personally to produce such documents or papers, but it is sufficient if the Chief Electoral Officer certifies such documents or papers and transmits them by registered mail to the clerk or registrar of the court, who shall, when such documents have served the purposes of the court or judge, return them by registered mail to the Chief Electoral Officer; any such documents or papers purporting to be certified by the Chief Electoral Officer are receivable in evidence without further proof thereof." 5

16. (1) Paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 62 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(a) by a candidate, out of his own money for his personal expenses to an aggregate amount not exceeding two thousand dollars, or" 15

(2) Subsection (15) of section 62 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(15) The candidate may pay any personal expenses incurred by him on account of or in connection with or incidental to such election to an amount not exceeding two thousand dollars, but any further personal expenses so incurred by him shall be paid by his official agent." 20

Candidate's
personal
expenses up
to \$2,000.

17. Section 87 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"**87.** (1) Subject to this section, no person shall be excused from answering any question put to him in any action, suit or other proceeding in any court or before any judge, commissioner or other tribunal touching or concerning any election or the conduct of any person thereat or in relation thereto on the ground of any privilege. 30

(2) The evidence of an elector to show for whom he voted at an election is not admissible in evidence in any action, suit or other proceeding in any court or before any judge, commissioner or any tribunal touching or concerning any election or the conduct of any person thereat or in relation thereto. 35

(3) No answer given by any person claiming to be excused on the ground of privilege shall be used in any criminal proceeding against such person other than an indictment for perjury, if the judge, commissioner or president of the tribunal gives to the witness a certificate that he claimed the right to be excused on such ground, and made full and true answers to the satisfaction of the judge, commissioner or tribunal." 40

No privilege
from answer-
ing questions.

Exception.

Idem.

Clause 16. The proposed amendments are to increase from one thousand to two thousand dollars the amount which a candidate may pay personally.

(1) The present subsection (4) (a) of section 62 reads as follows:

"(a) by a candidate, out of his own money for his personal expenses to an aggregate amount not exceeding *one* thousand dollars, or"

(2) The present section 62 (15) reads as follows:

"(15) The candidate may pay any personal expenses incurred by him on account of or in connection with or incidental to such election to an amount not exceeding *one* thousand dollars, but any further personal expenses so incurred by him shall be paid by his official agent."

Clause 17. Clarification. The present section 87 reads as follows:

"87. *No person shall be excused from answering any question put to him in any action, suit or other proceeding, in any court, or before any judge, commissioner or other tribunal touching or concerning any election, or the conduct of any person thereat, or in relation thereto, on the ground of any privilege, except that no elector shall be obliged to state for whom he voted at any election; but no answer given by any person claiming to be excused on the ground of privilege shall be used in any criminal proceeding against such person other than an indictment for perjury, if the judge, commissioner or president of the tribunal gives to the witness a certificate that he claimed the right to be excused on such ground, and made full and true answers to the satisfaction of the judge, commissioner or tribunal.*"

18. Paragraph (b) of subsection (3) of section 94 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(b) if he is advised and believes that a total of fifteen votes will be cast in case an advance poll is established in any city, town, township, village or municipality having a population of five hundred or more as determined by the last census taken pursuant to sections 16 and 17 of the *Statistics Act*, he may add the name of such place."

19. (1) All that portion of subsection (1) of section 100 of the said Act preceding paragraph (a) thereof is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Who shall not
be appointed
election
officers.

"**100.** (1) Subject to this section, none of the following persons shall be appointed as election officers, that is to say:"

(2) Paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section 100 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(c) members of the House of Commons, or of the Legislative Assembly of any province of Canada, or of the Council of the Northwest Territories or the Yukon Territory;"

(3) Paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of section 100 of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(e) judges of the courts of superior, civil or criminal jurisdiction, judges of any county or district court, or bankruptcy or insolvency court, and any district judge of the Exchequer Court on its Admiralty side, and in the Yukon Territory and the Northwest Territories, police magistrates;"

(4) Section 100 of the said Act is further amended by adding thereto the following subsection:

Exceptions.

"(3) Paragraph (d) of subsection (1) does not apply in the electoral districts mentioned in Schedule Four, and paragraph (e) of that subsection shall not be construed to prohibit or prevent a judge from exercising any power conferred upon him by this Act."

20. Subsection (1) of section 109 of the said Act is amended by adding the word "and" at the end of paragraph (a) thereof, by repealing paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) thereof and substituting the following therefor:

"(b) the days for the sittings for the revision of the lists of electors for urban polling divisions shall be Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the eleventh, tenth and ninth days before polling day, and, subject to Rule (36) of Schedule A to section 17, Tuesday, the sixth day before polling day."

Clause 18. To enable the Chief Electoral Officer to authorize the establishment of advance polls in places other than incorporated villages, towns or cities. Paragraph (b) of the present section 94 (3) reads as follows:

"(b) if he is advised and believes that a total of fifteen votes will be cast in case an advance poll is established in any *incorporated* village, town or city having a population of five hundred or more as determined by the last census taken pursuant to sections 16 and 17 of the *Statistics Act*, he may add the name of such place."

Clause 19. (1) and (4). To allow ministers, priests or ecclesiastics of any religious faith or worship to be appointed as election officers in the electoral districts mentioned in Schedule Four of the *Canada Elections Act*. The present provision reads as follows:

"100. (1) *Saving and excepting a judge upon whom this Act confers specific powers and his right to exercise such powers*, none of the following indicated persons shall be appointed as election officers, that is to say:"

(2) and (3). To provide that members of the Council of the Northwest Territories and police magistrates in the Northwest Territories shall not be appointed as election officers. Paragraphs (c) and (e) of the present section 100 (1) read as follows:

"(c) members of the House of Commons, or of the Legislative Assembly of any province of Canada, or of the Yukon Territorial Council;
(e) judges of the courts of superior, civil or criminal jurisdiction, judges of any county or district court, or bankruptcy or insolvency court, and any district judge of the Exchequer Court on its Admiralty side, and in the Yukon Territory, police magistrates;"

Clause 20. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 6. Paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) of the present section 109 (1) read as follows:

"(b) the days for the sittings for the revision of the lists of electors for urban polling divisions shall be Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, the eleventh, tenth, and ninth days before polling day;
(c) the lists of electors for urban polling divisions shall not be re-printed after such lists have been revised by the revising officer; and
(d) the official list of electors for an urban polling division shall consist of the printed preliminary list of electors, prepared pursuant to this Act, taken together with a copy of the statement of changes and additions certified by either the revising officer or the returning officer."

21. Section 114 of the said Act is amended by adding thereto the following subsection:

Qualifications
for electors.

“(4) The qualifications for electors for Northwest Territories elections shall be those established pursuant to section 9 of the *Northwest Territories Act* and in force six months prior to the polling day for such elections.” 5

22. (1) The said Act is further amended by adding thereto the following section:

Yukon
Territory
elections to be
conducted in
accordance
with this Act.

“**115.** (1) Elections of members to the Council of the Yukon Territory (in this section called “Yukon Territory 10 elections”) shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of this Act, subject to this section and to such adaptations and modifications as the Chief Electoral Officer, with the approval of the Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, directs as being necessary by reason of con- 15 ditions existing in the Yukon Territory to conduct effectually Yukon Territory elections.

Procedure.

(2) The procedure prescribed by section 109 shall be followed in the preparation, revision and distribution of the list of electors for Yukon Territory elections. 20

Sections not
applicable.

(3) Sections 14, 16, 19 and 20 do not apply to Yukon Territory elections.

Qualifications
of electors.

(4) The qualifications of electors for Yukon Territory elections shall be those established pursuant to section 14 of the *Yukon Act* and in force six months prior to the 25 polling day for such elections.”

Coming into
force.

(2) This section shall come into force on a day to be fixed by proclamation of the Governor in Council.

23. The said Act is further amended by adding thereto the following section: 30

Definition
of “election
material”.

“**116.** (1) In this section, “election material” includes instructions, forms, record books, index books, ballot papers, poll books and copies of Acts or regulations or portions thereof, and any other supplies.

Use of elec-
tion material
authorized by
an elections
Act for by-
elections,
N.W.T.
elections and
Yukon
Territory
elections held
after revision
of such Act.

(2) Any election material authorized or required for the 35 purposes of or in relation to by-elections, Northwest Territories elections or Yukon Territory elections by any Act providing for the election of members of the House of Commons may, in lieu of the election material authorized or required by any revision of such Act, be used for the 40 purposes of or in relation to by-elections, Northwest Territories elections or Yukon Territory elections held before the first general election next after the coming into force of such revised Act; and references in election material so used to any Act, regulation, rule, schedule or form or any 45 part or provision thereof shall be construed as a reference to the corresponding Act, regulation, rule, schedule, form, part or provision thereof in force upon the coming into force of such revised Act.”

Clause 21. Subsection (4) of section 114 was deleted from the Act as being spent. The qualifications for electors for Northwest Territories elections are to be governed in future by subsection (4) as it appears in the amendment.

Clause 22. New. To provide for elections of members to the Council of the Yukon Territory being conducted under the provisions of the *Canada Elections Act*.

Clause 23. New. To provide for the use of existing election material at a by-election, Northwest Territories or Yukon Territory elections that may be held after any re-enactment of the *Canada Elections Act* such as the revision of the Statutes of Canada.

24. Forms Nos. 5 and 6 of Schedule One to the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 5.

APPOINTMENT OF ENUMERATOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 1, and Sched. B, Rule 1.)

To (*insert name of enumerator*), whose address is (*insert address*).

Know you that, in pursuance of the *Canada Elections Act*, I, the undersigned, in my capacity of returning officer for the electoral district of....., do hereby appoint you enumerator for polling division No..... of the said electoral district to prepare a list of the electors qualified to vote at the pending election in such polling division.

Given under my hand at....., this..... day of....., 19....

.....
Returning Officer.

FORM No. 6.

OATH OF OFFICE OF ENUMERATOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 1, and Sched. B, Rule 3.)

I, the undersigned, appointed enumerator for polling division No..... of the electoral district of, do swear (*or solemnly affirm*) that I will act faithfully in my said capacity of enumerator, without partiality, fear, favour or affection. So help me God.

.....
Enumerator.

CERTIFICATE OF THE ENUMERATOR HAVING TAKEN THE
OATH OF OFFICE.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that on the..... day of....., 19...., the enumerator above named subscribed before me the above set forth oath (*or affirmation*) of office.

In testimony whereof I have issued this certificate under my hand.

.....
Returning Officer or Postmaster
(*or as the case may be*).¹¹

Clause 24. Change in terminology only. The present Forms Nos. 5 and 6 read as follows:

“FORM No. 5.

APPOINTMENT OF AN ENUMERATOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 1, and Sched. B, Rule 1.)

To *(insert name of enumerator)*, whose occupation is *(insert occupation)*,
and whose address is *(insert address)*.

Know you that, in pursuance of *the provisions of section 17 of the Canada Elections Act*, I, the undersigned, in my capacity as returning officer for the electoral district of....., do hereby appoint you to be enumerator for polling division No..... in the said electoral district to prepare a list of electors qualified to vote in the said polling division, in accordance with the provisions of the said section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*.

Given under my hand at..... this.....
day of....., 19....

.....
Returning Officer.

FORM No. 6.

OATH OF AN ENUMERATOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 1, and Sched. B, Rule 3.)

I, the undersigned *(insert name of enumerator)*, appointed enumerator for polling division No....., in the electoral district of....., do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will act faithfully in my said capacity of enumerator, without partiality, fear, favour or affection, and in every respect according to law. So help me God.

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Enumerator.

CERTIFICATE OF THE ENUMERATOR HAVING TAKEN THE OATH OF OFFICE.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that on the..... day of....., 19...., the enumerator above named made and subscribed before me the above set forth oath (or affirmation).

In testimony whereof I have issued this certificate under my hand.

.....
Returning Officer (or as the case may be.)”

25. Form No. 14 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 14.

NOTICE OF REVISION.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 23.)

Electoral district of

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sittings for the revision of the preliminary lists of electors for the urban polling divisions comprised in the above mentioned electoral district will be held on each of the following three days, namely: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the..... and days of....., 19...., (*Insert the dates of the 18th, 17th and 16th days before polling day*) when the preliminary lists of electors for the urban polling divisions comprised in each of the following revisal districts will be revised by the undermentioned revising officers at the places specified below:

CITY (OR TOWN) OF.....

FOR REVISAL DISTRICT No. 1, comprising polling divisions Nos. of the above mentioned electoral district, the sittings for revision will be held at (*Insert exact location of the revisal office*) before (*Insert full name of revising officer*) who has been appointed revising officer.

(*Proceed as above in respect of any other revisal district.*)

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, during the sittings for revision on the Thursday and Friday aforesaid, any qualified elector in one of the above mentioned revisal districts may, before the revising officer for such revisal district, subscribe to an affidavit attacking the qualifications as elector of any other person whose name appears on the preliminary list of electors for one of the polling divisions comprised in such revisal district.

THAT, during the sittings for revision on the Thursday, Friday and Saturday aforesaid, the revising officer shall dispose of the following applications:

- (a) personal applications for registration made verbally, without previous notice, by electors whose names were omitted from the preliminary lists of electors, pursuant to Rule (32) of Schedule A to section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*;

Clause 25. Consequential to the proposed amendments in Clause 6 (4), (5) and (6). The present Form No. 14 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 14.

NOTICE OF REVISION.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 23.)

Electoral district of

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the sittings for the revision of the preliminary lists of electors for the urban polling divisions comprised in the above mentioned electoral district will be held on each of the following three days, namely: Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, the, and days of, 19...., (*Insert the dates of the 18th, 17th, and 16th days before polling day*) when the preliminary lists of electors for the urban polling divisions comprised in each of the following revisal districts will be revised by the undermentioned revising officers at the places specified below:

CITY (OR TOWN) OF

FOR REVISAL DISTRICT NO. 1, comprising polling divisions Nos. of the above mentioned electoral district, *included within an area described as follows: (Insert description of area included in revisal district), the sittings for revision will be held at (Insert exact location of the revisal office) before (Insert full name of revising officer) who has been appointed revising officer and whose address is (Insert address of revising officer), where he will be found from o'clock until o'clock in the afternoons of Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, the, and days of, 19....*

(Insert the dates of the three days immediately preceding the first day of sittings for revision) to complete affidavits of objection in Form No. 15 of the Canada Elections Act.

(Proceed as above in respect to any other revisal district.)

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, *on the three days immediately preceding the first day fixed for the sittings for revision, as aforesaid, any qualified elector in one of the above mentioned revisal districts may, before the revising officer for such revisal district, subscribe to an affidavit attacking the qualifications as elector of any other person whose name appears on the preliminary list of electors for one of the polling divisions comprised in such revisal district.*

THAT *at any of the sittings for revision aforesaid the revising officer shall dispose of the following applications and objections:*

- (a) *personal applications for registration made verbally, without previous notice, by electors whose names were omitted from the preliminary lists of electors, pursuant to Rule (32) of Schedule A to section 17 of the Canada Elections Act;*

- (b) sworn applications made by agents on Forms Nos. 17 and 18 of the said Act, on behalf of persons claiming the right to have their names included in the official lists of electors, pursuant to Rule (33) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act; and
- (c) verbal applications for the correction of names or particulars of electors appearing on the preliminary lists of electors, made, without previous notice, pursuant to Rule (35) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act.

THAT each of the sittings for revision will open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and will continue for at least one hour and during such time thereafter as may be necessary to deal with the business ready to be disposed of.

THAT, moreover, on the above mentioned Thursday, Friday and Saturday fixed for the sittings for revision, each revising officer will sit in his revisal office from seven o'clock until ten o'clock in the evening of each of these days.

AND THAT the preliminary lists of electors prepared by urban enumerators, to be revised as aforesaid, may be examined during reasonable hours in my office at (*Insert location of office of returning officer*).

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, if any qualified elector in one of the above mentioned revisal districts has, before the revising officer for such revisal district, subscribed to an affidavit attacking the qualifications as elector of any other person whose name appears on the preliminary list of electors for one of the polling divisions comprised in such revisal district, further sittings for revision will be held on Tuesday, the day of, 19...., (*Insert the date of the thirteenth day before polling day*) at the same place and times as the sittings for revision on the Thursday, Friday and Saturday aforesaid, and that during the sittings for revision on the Tuesday aforesaid, the revising officer shall dispose of the objections made on affidavits in Form No. 15 of the said Act to the retention of names on the preliminary lists of electors, of which the revising officer has given notice in Form No. 16 of the said Act to the persons concerned pursuant to Rule (28) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act.

Given under my hand at, this
day of, 19....

(*Print name of returning officer*)
Returning Officer."

- (b) sworn applications made by agents on Forms Nos. 17 and 18 of the said Act, on behalf of persons claiming the right to have their names included in the official lists of electors, pursuant to Rule (33) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act;
- (c) verbal applications for the correction of names or particulars of electors appearing on the preliminary lists of electors, made, without previous notice, pursuant to Rule (35) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act; and
- (d) *objections made on affidavits, in Form No. 15 of the said Act, to the retention of names on the preliminary lists of electors, of which the revising officer has given notice, in Form No. 16 of the said Act, to the persons concerned, pursuant to Rule (28) of Schedule A to section 17 of the said Act.*

THAT each of the sittings for revision will open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and will continue for at least one hour and during such time thereafter as may be necessary to deal with the business ready to be disposed of.

THAT, moreover, on the above mentioned Thursday, Friday, and Saturday fixed for the sittings for revision, each revising officer will sit continuously in his revisal office from seven o'clock until ten o'clock in the evening of each of these *three* days.

AND THAT the preliminary lists of electors prepared by urban enumerators, to be revised as aforesaid, may be examined during reasonable hours in my office at *(Insert location of office of returning officer.)*

Given under my hand at this
day of , 19.....

(Print name of returning officer)
Returning officer."

26. Forms Nos. 16 and 17 of Schedule One to the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 16.

NOTICE TO PERSON OBJECTED TO.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 28.)

Electoral district of.....

Revisal district No.....

To (*set out name, address and occupation of the person objected to as these appear on the preliminary list of electors, also addressing a copy of the notice and affidavit to another address, if any, given in paragraph 3 of the attached Affidavit of Objection*).

Take notice that the attached Affidavit of Objection to the retention of your name on the preliminary list of electors for one of the urban polling divisions comprised in the above mentioned revisal district has been subscribed before me and that this affidavit of objection will be dealt with during my sittings for revision which will be held at No.....street, in the City (or Town) of.....on Tuesday, the..... day of....., 19...., (*Insert the date of the 13th day before polling day*) where I may be found from ten o'clock until eleven o'clock in the forenoon and from seven o'clock until ten o'clock in the evening.

Take notice also that you may appear before me in person or by representative during any of the above mentioned sittings for revision to sustain your right, if any, to have your name retained on such preliminary list.

This notice is given pursuant to Rule (28) of Schedule A to section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*.

Dated at....., this.....day of
....., 19....

.....
Revising Officer.

Clause 26. The proposed amendment to Form No. 16 is consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 6 (6). The proposed amendment to Form No. 17 is to make it conform to Rule (33) of Schedule A to section 17. The present Forms Nos. 16 and 17 read as follows:

“FORM No. 16.

NOTICE TO PERSON OBJECTED TO.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 28.)

Electoral district of

Revisal district No.....

To (*set out name, address, and occupation of the person objected to, as these appear on the preliminary list of electors, also addressing a copy of the notice and affidavit to another address, if any, given in paragraph 3 of the attached Affidavit of Objection*).

Take notice that the attached Affidavit of Objection to the retention of your name on the preliminary list of electors for one of the urban polling divisions comprised in the above mentioned revisal district, has been subscribed before me and that this affidavit of objection will be dealt with during my sittings for revision which will be held at No.....street, in the City (or Town) of.....
.....on the.....,....., and days of....., 19.....,
where I may be found from ten o'clock until eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and also from seven o'clock until ten o'clock in the evening of each of these three days.

Take notice also that you may appear before me in person or by representative, during any of the above mentioned sittings for revision, to sustain your right, if any, to have your name retained on such preliminary list.

This notice is given pursuant to Rule 28 of Schedule A to section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*.

Dated at.....this.....day of....., 19...

.....
Revising Officer.

FORM NO. 17.

SWORN APPLICATION TO BE MADE BY THE AGENT OF AN ELECTOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 33.)

Electoral district of.....

To the Revising Officer for Revisal district No..... comprised
in the above mentioned electoral district.

I, the undersigned, (*insert name, address and occupation of agent*),
do swear (*or solemnly affirm*):

1. That I am a qualified elector of the above mentioned electoral
district and that my name properly appears on the preliminary list of
electors for polling division No..... of the said electoral
district.

2. That pursuant to the provisions of Rule (33) of Schedule A
to section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*, I hereby apply for the regis-
tration of the name of (*insert full name, address and occupation, in
capital letters, with family name first, of the person on whose behalf the
application is made*) on the official list of electors for urban polling
division No..... comprised in the above mentioned revisal
district.

3. That the name, address and occupation of the person on whose
behalf this application is made, as set forth in the annexed application
in Form No. 18, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correctly
stated.

4. That the said annexed application in Form No. 18 is signed
in the handwriting of the person on whose behalf this application is
made (or, owing to his temporary absence from the place of his ordinary
residence, the alternative application printed on the back of the said
Form No. 18 has been duly sworn (*or affirmed*) by a relative by blood
or marriage or the employer of such person).

Sworn (*or affirmed*) before me at

.....,

this..... day of....., 19....

.....

Revising Officer (or as the case may be).

(*Signature of deponent*)"

FORM No. 17.

SWORN APPLICATION TO BE MADE BY THE AGENT OF AN ELECTOR.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 33.)

Electoral district of

To the Revising officer for Revisal district No.....comprised
in the above mentioned electoral district.

I, the undersigned, (*insert name, address, and occupation of agent*),
do swear (*or solemnly affirm*):

1. That I am a qualified elector of the above mentioned electoral
district, and that my name properly appears on the preliminary list
of electors for *urban* polling division No.....of the said electoral
district.

2. That pursuant to the provisions of Rule (33) of Schedule A
to section 17 of the *Canada Elections Act*, I hereby apply for the
registration of the name of (*insert full name, address, and occupation,
in capital letters, with family name first, of the person on whose behalf
the application is made*) on the official list of electors for urban polling
division No.....comprised in the above mentioned revisal
district.

3. That the name, address, and occupation of the person on whose
behalf this application is made, as set forth in the annexed application
in Form No. 18, are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correctly
stated.

4. That the said annexed application in Form No. 18 is signed in
the handwriting of the person on whose behalf this application is made
(or, owing to his temporary absence from the place of his ordinary
residence, the alternative application printed on the back of the said
Form No. 18 has been duly sworn (*or affirmed*) by a relative by blood
or marriage or the employer of such person).

Sworn (<i>or affirmed</i>) before me at	} (<i>Signature of deponent</i>)"
.....,		
this.....day of....., 19....		
..... <i>Revising officer (or as the case may be)</i>		

27. Form No. 19 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 19.

REVISING OFFICER'S STATEMENT OF CHANGES AND ADDITIONS MADE
IN AN URBAN PRELIMINARY LIST OF ELECTORS.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 40.)

Electoral District of.....

Polling Division No.....

Revisal District No.....

The following names have been added to the urban preliminary list of electors:

Name of Street (or as the case may be)	Street No.	Apart- ment No.	Name of Elector (Family name first)	Occupation	Remarks

The following entries in the urban preliminary list of electors have been corrected so as to appear as follows:

Name of Street (or as the case may be)	Street No.	Apart- ment No.	Name of Elector (Family name first)	Occupation	Consecutive number of elector on list of electors

The following names appearing in the urban preliminary list of electors have been struck out:

Name of Street (or as the case may be)	Street No.	Apart- ment No.	Name of Elector (Family name first)	Occupation	Consecutive number of elector on list of electors

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of all the changes and additions that have been made in the urban preliminary list of electors for the above mentioned polling division in the course of the revision.

Dated at....., this
day of....., 19....

.....
Revising Officer."

Clause 27. Clarification. The present Form No. 19 reads as follows:

"Form No. 19.

Revising Officer's Statement of Changes and Additions made in an Urban Preliminary List of Electors.

(Sec. 17, Sched. A, Rule 41.)

Polling Division No.....

Electoral District of.....

Revisal District No.....

The following names appearing in the urban preliminary list of electors have been struck out:

<i>Name of street (or, as the case may be)</i>	<i>Street No.</i>	<i>Apart- ment No.</i>	<i>Name of elector (Family name first)</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Consecutive number</i>

The following names have been added to the urban preliminary list of electors:

<i>Name of street (or, as the case may be)</i>	<i>Street No.</i>	<i>Apart- ment No.</i>	<i>Name of elector (Family name first)</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>

The following entries in the urban preliminary list of electors have been corrected so as to appear as follows:

<i>Name of street (or, as the case may be)</i>	<i>Street No.</i>	<i>Apart- ment No.</i>	<i>Name of elector (Family name first)</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Consecutive number</i>

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of all the changes and additions *which* have been made in the urban preliminary list of electors for the above mentioned polling division in the course of the revision.

Dated at.....this.....
day of....., 19.....

.....
Revising Officer."

28. Form No. 22 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 22.

NOTICE OF RURAL ENUMERATION.

(Sec. 17, Sched. B, Rule 3.)

Electoral District of
Rural Polling Division No.,
(insert name, if any)

Comprising:

(In the above space, the rural enumerator will insert in full the description of the boundaries of his polling division.)

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed enumerator for the above mentioned rural polling division, that he is about to prepare a preliminary list of the electors who are qualified to vote therein at the pending general election and that he will complete the said preliminary list on Saturday, the.....

day of....., 19.....
(insert the date of Saturday, the forty-fourth day before polling day)

And that during the hours between ten o'clock in the forenoon and ten o'clock in the evening of Thursday, the.....

day of....., 19....., he will
(insert the date of Thursday, the eighteenth day before polling day)

attend and remain at.....

(insert description of the place where the enumerator intends to remain)
so that he may be found by any person who desires to direct attention to any error in any entry appearing on the said preliminary list or to represent that such list does not contain the name of an elector who is qualified to vote in the above mentioned rural polling division at the pending general election or does contain the name of any person who is not so qualified to vote.

And that in order that the said preliminary list shall be available for inspection by interested persons, a copy thereof will, forthwith after its completion, be posted up at the place above described and will remain so posted up until all proper changes have been made on the said list.

And that after ten o'clock in the evening of the Thursday above mentioned, no further changes will be made, and a copy of the said preliminary list together with a copy of the statement of changes and additions will constitute the official list of electors to be used for the taking of the votes at the pending general election in the rural polling division aforsaid.

Dated at....., this.....
day of....., 19.....

.....
Rural Enumerator."

Clause 28. To bring this form in line with the provisions of Rule (3) of Schedule B to section 17. Also clarification and change in terminology. The present Form No. 22 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 22.

NOTICE OF RURAL ENUMERATION of Electors

(Sec. 17, Sched. B, Rule 3.)

Electoral District of.....
Rural Polling Division No.....

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed enumerator for the above mentioned rural polling division and is about to prepare a preliminary list of electors who are qualified to vote therein at an election, and that he will complete the said preliminary list of electors on Saturday, the.....

day of....., 19....
(insert the date of Saturday, the forty-fourth day before polling day.)

And that during the hours between ten o'clock in the forenoon and ten o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, the.....day of the month of....., 19....

(insert the date of Tuesday, the thirteenth day before polling day.)
he will attend and remain at.....
(insert an exact description of the location of the place and where the enumerator intends to remain.)

.....
so that he may be found there by any person who desires to direct attention to any error in any entry in the preliminary list or to represent that such list does not contain the name of any person residing in the above polling division who is qualified to vote at the pending election or does contain the name of any person who is not qualified to vote thereat.

And that in order that the preliminary list of electors for the above mentioned polling division shall be available for inspection by persons desiring to inspect the same, a copy thereof will, forthwith after the completion thereof, be posted at the place above described and will remain so posted until all proper corrections in the list have been made.

And that after ten o'clock in the afternoon of the Tuesday above mentioned, no further corrections or additions will be made, and the preliminary list of electors together with the statement of changes and additions certified by me will constitute the official list of electors to be used for the taking of the vote at the pending election for the polling division above mentioned.

Dated at....., this.....
day of....., 19....

.....
Enumerator.”

29. Form No. 31 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 31.

APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER. (Sec. 26.)

To (*insert name of D.R.O.*) whose address is (*insert address*).

Know you that I, in my capacity of returning officer for the electoral district of....., do hereby appoint you to be deputy returning officer for polling station No. of the said electoral district which has been established at (*describe location of polling station*);

That you are authorized and required to open the poll at the said polling station on the.....day of....., 19...., at eight o'clock in the forenoon and to keep the said poll open until six o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, and there to take by ballot the votes of the qualified electors at the said polling station according to the procedure set forth in the Instructions for Deputy Returning Officers issued by the Chief Electoral Officer;

And that, after having counted the votes cast for the various candidates and performed all the other necessary duties, you are required to transmit to me forthwith the ballot box, sealed with a special metal seal, enclosing only two envelopes, one containing the official statement of the poll and the other containing the poll book, the ballot papers—unused, spoiled, rejected and counted for each candidate—each lot in its proper envelope, together with the official list of electors and the other documents used at the taking of the votes.

Given under my hand at....., this.....
day of... .., 19....

.....
Returning Officer."

Clause 29. Change in terminology only. The present Form No. 31 reads as follows:

"Form No. 31.

Appointment of a deputy returning officer. (Sec. 26.)

To (insert name of D.R.O.), whose occupation is (insert occupation) and whose address is (insert address).

Know you that I, in my capacity of returning officer for the electoral district of....., hereby appoint you to be deputy returning officer for polling station No..... of the said electoral district, there to take the votes of the electors by ballot according to law, at the polling station to be by you opened and kept for that purpose; and you are hereby authorized and required to open and hold the poll of such election at the said polling station on the..... day of....., 19....., at the hour of eight o'clock in the forenoon, at (here describe particularly the location of the polling station), and there to keep the said poll open until six o'clock in the afternoon, and to take at the said polling station, by ballot, in the manner by law provided, the votes of the electors qualified to vote at the said polling station, and after counting the votes given for the various candidates and performing all the other duties required of you by law, to return to me forthwith the ballot box sealed with your seal, and inclosing two envelopes one containing the statement of the poll and another containing the poll book, the ballot papers—unused, spoiled, rejected and counted for each candidate—each lot in its proper envelope, the list of electors and other documents used at the poll, and all other papers required by law.

Given under my hand at..... this.....

day of....., in the year 19.....

.....
Returning Officer."

30. Form No. 40 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 40.

POLL BOOK. (Sec. 36 (6).)

Consecutive number given each elector as he applies for a ballot <u>paper</u>	Particulars of elector			
	Name of elector (Family name first)	Occupation (No occupation will be inserted in the case of a woman who is not designated with an occupation on the official list)	Post office address	Consecutive number of elector on <u>official</u> list

Form numbers of oaths, if any, the elector is required to swear	Record that oaths sworn or refused (If sworn, insert "Sworn"; if or "Affirmed"; if refused, insert "Refused to be sworn" or "Refused to Affirm" or "Refused to Answer")	Particulars of person vouching, in a rural polling division only, under section 46, for an elector whose name is not on the <u>official</u> list.		
		Name	Consecutive number of vouching elector on <u>official</u> list	Record that oath (Form No. 50) sworn (when sworn insert "Sworn")

Record that elector has voted (When ballot paper put into ballot box, insert "Voted")	Remarks

Clause 30. Clarification. The present Form No. 40 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 40.

POLL BOOK (Sec. 36 (6).)

Consecutive number given each elector as he applies for a ballot	Particulars of elector			
	Name of elector (Family name first)	Occupation	Post office address	Consecutive number of elector on the list of electors
.....
.....

Form numbers of oaths, if any, the elector is required to swear	Record that oaths sworn or refused (If sworn, insert “Sworn” if refused, insert “Refused to be sworn”)	Particulars of person vouching, in a rural polling division only, under section 46, for an elector whose name is not on the list.		
		Name	Consecutive number of elector on list of electors	Record that oath (Form 49) sworn (when sworn insert “Sworn”)
.....
.....

Record that elector has voted — (When ballot put into ballot box, insert “Voted”)	Remarks
.....
.....
.....

31. Forms Nos. 56 and 57 of Schedule One to the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 56.

OATH OF DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER AT THE CLOSE OF THE POLL.
(Sec. 50 (7).)

I, the undersigned, appointed deputy returning officer for polling station No.....of the electoral district of....., do swear (or solemnly affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the poll book used at the said polling station has been kept correctly; that I have faithfully counted the votes cast for each candidate; that I have faithfully performed all my other duties as deputy returning officer; and that the official statement of the poll, poll book, ballot papers, and other necessary documents will be correctly prepared and placed in the ballot box, to the end that the said ballot box, being first locked and sealed with a special metal seal, may be regularly transmitted to the returning officer for the above mentioned electoral district. So help me God.

.....
Deputy Returning Officer.

Sworn (or affirmed) before me at.....,
this.....day of....., 19.....

.....
Poll Clerk (or as the case may be).

FORM No. 57.

OATH OF POLL CLERK AT THE CLOSE OF THE POLL.
(Sec. 50 (7).)

I, the undersigned, appointed poll clerk for polling station No... of the electoral district of....., do swear (or solemnly affirm) that the poll book used at the said polling station has been kept to the best of my ability; that the total number of electors registered therein as having voted at this election is.....; that the said poll book contains a true and exact record of the taking of the votes at the said polling station; and that I have faithfully performed all my other duties as poll clerk. So help me God.

.....
Poll Clerk.

Sworn (or affirmed) before me at.....,
this.....day of....., 19.....

.....
*Deputy Returning Officer
(or as the case may be)."*

Clause 31. Change in terminology only. The present Forms Nos. 56 and 57 read as follows:

"FORM No. 56.

OATH OF THE DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER *after the closing of the POLL.* (Sec. 50 (7).)

I, the undersigned, deputy returning officer for polling station No....., of the electoral district of....., do swear (or solemnly affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, *this poll book kept for the said polling station, under my direction, has been so kept correctly; that the total number of voters recorded therein is....., and that it contains a true and exact record of the votes given at the said polling station, as the said votes were taken thereat; that I have faithfully counted the votes given for each candidate in the manner by law provided and performed all duties required of me by law, and that the statement of the poll, poll book, packets of ballot papers, and other documents required by law to be returned by me to the returning officer, will be faithfully and truly prepared and placed within the ballot box, as this oath (or affirmation) will be, to the end that the said ballot box, being first carefully sealed with my seal, may be transmitted to the returning officer according to law.*

.....
Deputy Returning Officer.

Sworn (or affirmed) before me at....., this.....day of....., 19.....

.....
Poll Clerk (or as the case may be).

FORM No. 57.

OATH OF THE POLL CLERK *After Closing of the POLL.*
(Sec. 50 (7).)

I, the undersigned, poll clerk for polling station No..... of the electoral district of....., do swear (or do solemnly affirm) that *this poll book for the said polling station kept under the direction of....., who has acted as deputy* (insert name of D.R.O.) *returning officer thereat, has been so kept by me, under his direction as aforesaid, correctly and to the best of my skill and judgment; that the total number of voters recorded therein is.....and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, it contains a true and exact record of the votes given at the above mentioned polling station as the said votes were taken thereat by the said deputy returning officer, and that I have faithfully performed all my other duties as poll clerk according to law.*

.....
Poll Clerk.

Sworn (or affirmed) before me at....., this.....day of....., in the year 19.....

.....
Deputy Returning Officer (or as the case may be)."

32. Form No. 66 of Schedule One to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 66.

ADVANCE POLL CERTIFICATE AND STATEMENT OF IDENTIFICATION.

(Sec. 96.)

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that (*insert full name of applicant elector*), whose occupation as given on the official list of electors is (*insert occupation*), whose address as given thereon is (*insert address*) and whose signature appears hereunder above mine has personally appeared before me and has satisfied me:

(1) That he is now employed.....
(*insert*: "by the..... Railway Company in the capacity of....." or "on the vessel known as the..... in the capacity of....." or "by..... as a commercial traveller", or "as a fisherman", or as the case may be), and

(2) That by reason of the nature of his said employment and in the course thereof he is necessarily absent from time to time from the place of his ordinary residence, and

(3) That he has reason to believe that he will be so absent on the ordinary polling day at the pending election from, and that he is likely to be unable to vote on such polling day in, the undermentioned polling division on the list of electors for which his name appears, or that he is a member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces or that he is a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Force and that, on account of the performance of duties or training in such forces, he has reason to believe that he will be necessarily absent on such polling day from, and that he is likely to be unable to vote on that day in, the undermentioned polling division on the list of electors for which his name appears, and

(4) That he is the person intended to be described by the entry of the name, occupation and address above set out on the official list of electors entitled to vote at the pending election in polling division No....., in the electoral district of.....

And I accordingly certify that he is a person entitled to vote at any advance poll established in the said electoral district on the conditions prescribed in the *Canada Elections Act* and in the Instructions for Deputy Returning Officers issued by the Chief Electoral Officer.

Dated at....., this..... day of....., 19.....

.....
(*Signature of applicant elector*).

.....
Returning Officer (or as the case may be).

Clause 32. To bring this form in line with the provisions of section 96 (5). Also change in terminology. The present Form No. 66 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 66.

ADVANCE POLL CERTIFICATE AND STATEMENT OF IDENTIFICATION.

(Sec. 96.)

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that (*insert full name of applicant voter*), whose occupation as given in the official list of electors is (*insert occupation*), whose address as so given is (*insert address*), and whose signature appears hereunder above mine, has personally appeared before me and has satisfied me:

(1) That he is now employed.
(*insert: “by the Railway Company in the capacity of” or “on the vessel known as the in the capacity of” or “by as a commercial traveller,” or as the case may be*), and

(2) That by reason of the nature of his said employment and in the course thereof he is necessarily absent from time to time from his ordinary place of residence, and

(3) That he has reason to believe that he will be so absent on the ordinary polling day at the pending election from, and that he is likely to be unable to vote on such polling day in, the undermentioned polling division on the list of electors for which his name appears, or that he is a member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces or that he is a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Force and that, on account of the performance of duties or training in such forces, he has reason to believe that he will be necessarily absent on such polling day from, and that he is likely to be unable to vote on that day in, the undermentioned polling division on the list of electors for which his name appears, and

(4) That he is the person intended to be described by the entry of the name, occupation and address above set out on the official list of electors entitled to vote at *this* election in polling division No., in the electoral district of

And I accordingly certify that he is a person entitled to vote at any advance poll established in the said electoral district on the conditions prescribed in the *Canada Elections Act*.

Dated at this day
of, 19

.
(*Signature of applicant voter*).

.
Returning Officer (or as the case may be).

STATEMENT OF IDENTIFICATION AND DECLARATION.

I hereby declare that I am the person described in the above certificate, that all the facts therein stated with respect to my employment and anticipated absence from the place of my ordinary residence on the ordinary polling day are correct, and that I verily believe myself to be the person intended to be referred to by the entry on the official list of electors, the particulars of which are transcribed in the above certificate.

I am aware that, having presented this certificate at an advance poll, I am not entitled to vote at an ordinary polling station on the ordinary polling day.

.....
(Signature of applicant elector).

PARTICULARS TO BE RECORDED BY POLL CLERK IN THE ADVANCE POLLING STATION

Consecutive number given to the elector as he applies for a ballot paper	FORM NUMBER OF ORAL OATH OR AFFIDAVIT, IF ANY, THE ELECTOR IS REQUIRED TO SWEAR	RECORD THAT OATH SWORN OR REFUSED (If sworn, insert "Sworn" or "Affirmed"; if refused, insert "Refused to be Sworn" or "Refused to Affirm" or "Refused to Answer")	RECORD THAT ELECTOR HAS VOTED When ballot paper put into ballot box, insert "Voted"	REMARKS

STATEMENT OF IDENTIFICATION AND DECLARATION.

I hereby declare that I am the person described in the above certificate, that all the facts therein stated with respect to my employment and anticipated absence from *home* on polling day are correct, and that I verily believe myself to be the person intended to be referred to by the entry in the official list of electors, the particulars of which are transcribed in the above certificate.

I am aware that, having presented this certificate at an advance *polling station*, I am not entitled to vote at an ordinary *poll* on polling day.

.....
(Signature of voter)."

33. The preamble to *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations* in Schedule Three to the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"To enable Canadian Forces electors, and Veteran electors receiving treatment or domiciliary care in certain hospitals or institutions, to exercise their franchise at a general election."

34. (1) Clause (g) of paragraph 4 of the French version of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Heures du jour."

"(g) "heures du jour" et les autres mentions de l'heure dans les présents règlements se rapportent à l'heure solaire;"

(2) Clause (j) of paragraph 4 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"Outer envelope."

"(j) "outer envelope" means the envelope provided for the transmission of the ballot paper (after such ballot paper has been marked and enclosed in the inner envelope) of a Canadian Forces elector or a Veteran elector to the appropriate special returning officer, which envelope has been printed as follows: on the face with the full name and post office address of such special returning officer, and on the back with a blank declaration in Form No. 7, Form No. 7A or Form No. 12;"

35. Clauses (e) and (f) of paragraph 12 of the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(e) secure from the various liaison officers the lists provided for in paragraph 26;

(f) secure, through the liaison officers, a list of the name, rank and number of every deputy returning officer designated by each commanding officer to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors as provided by paragraph 30;"

36. Paragraph 15 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

List of names and surnames, etc., of candidates.

"15. As soon as possible after the nominations of candidates at the general election have closed on the twenty-first day before polling day, the Chief Electoral Officer shall transmit a sufficient number of copies of a printed list of the names and surnames of the candidates officially nominated in each electoral district to every special returning officer; upon such list shall be inserted after the names

Clause 33. Remedial. The present preamble reads as follows:

"To enable Canadian electors on *Defence Service* and Veterans receiving treatment or domiciliary care in certain hospitals or institutions to exercise their franchise at a general election."

Clause 34. (1) To clarify the French version of the present clause (g) of paragraph 4 which reads as follows:

"(g) "heures du jour" et les autres mentions de l'heure dans les présents règlements se rapportent à l'heure normale;"

(2) Consequential to proposed new subparagraph (1a) of paragraph 33 of the Regulations as set out in Clause 46 (1); it provides for printing the new Form No. 7A on the outer envelope. The present clause (j) of paragraph 4 reads as follows:

"(j) "outer envelope" means the envelope provided for the transmission by mail of the ballot paper (after such ballot paper has been marked and enclosed in the inner envelope *hereinbefore defined*) of a Canadian Forces elector or a Veteran elector to the appropriate special returning officer, which envelope has been printed as follows: on the face with the full name and post office address of such special returning officer, and on the back with a blank declaration *either* in Form No. 7 or Form No. 12;

Clause 35. (i) Paragraph 12 (e). Consequential to the amendment to paragraph 26. The present paragraph 12 (e) reads as follows:

"(e) secure a list of the names, ranks, and numbers of Canadian Forces electors from the various liaison officers, as *prescribed* in paragraph 26;"

(ii) Paragraph 12 (f). Section 52 of chapter 3 of the statutes of 1951 (Second Session) directed that the expression "deputy returning officer" be substituted for the expressions "commissioned officer" and "commissioned officer designated" in various places throughout the Act and forms. When the statutes were being revised it was necessary to effect the substitution in the consolidation of the *Canada Elections Act*, but difficulties arose largely because of the varying contexts in which the expressions "commissioned officer" and "commissioned officer designated" occurred. The result was that the amendments directed by section 52 of the 1951 amending Act were not given effect in the Revised Statutes precisely as contemplated in 1951. The present paragraph 12 (f) reads as follows:

"(f) secure, through the liaison officers, a list of the name, rank, and number of every *commissioned* officer designated by each commanding officer to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors, as *prescribed* in paragraph 30;"

Clause 36. To provide more time to comply with the provisions of this paragraph and of paragraph 19 of the Regulations. The present paragraph 15 reads as follows:

"15. As soon as possible after the nominations of candidates at the general election have closed, on the *fourteenth* day before polling day, the Chief Electoral Officer shall transmit a sufficient number of copies of a printed list of the names and surnames of the candidates officially nominated in each electoral district to every special returning officer; upon such list shall be inserted after the names and surname of each candidate the designating letters currently used to indicate his political affiliations; such designating letters shall be ascertained from the best sources of information available to the Chief Electoral Officer."

and surname of each candidate the designating letters currently used to indicate his political affiliations; such designating letters shall be ascertained from the best sources of information available to the Chief Electoral Officer."

37. Paragraph 17 of the said Regulations is repealed 5
and the following substituted therefor:

"17. The books of key maps referred to in paragraph 14 shall be used by Canadian Forces electors and Veteran electors entitled to vote in large centres in Canada to enable them to ascertain the correct electoral district in 10
which they are qualified to vote at the general election, and the books of excerpts from the Canadian Postal Guide shall be used for the same purpose by Canadian Forces electors and Veteran electors entitled to vote in other
places in Canada." 15

38. The said Regulations are further amended by adding thereto immediately after paragraph 20 thereof the following paragraphs:

"20A. The wife of a Canadian Forces elector, as defined 20
in paragraph 20, who

(a) is of the full age of twenty-one years,

(b) is a Canadian citizen or other British subject,

(c) is residing with her husband when he is serving outside Canada, and

(d) is not a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in 25
paragraph 20,

shall be deemed to be a Canadian Forces elector and is entitled to vote at a general election under the procedure set forth in these Regulations.

20B. Notwithstanding anything in these Regulations, a 30
Canadian Forces elector who is undergoing punishment as an inmate in a service prison, detention barrack or any other penal institution for the commission of any offence, or who is subject to any disqualification set out in section 14 of the *Canada Elections Act*, is disqualified from voting 35
under the procedure set forth in these Regulations."

39. Paragraph 21 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"21. (1) Notwithstanding paragraph 20, a Canadian 40
Forces elector, as defined in that paragraph, is not entitled to vote under the procedure set forth in these Regulations, unless he or she

(a) completes a statement of ordinary residence as provided in paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33, and 45

Books of key
maps, etc.

Wives of
members of
Canadian
Forces
outside
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deemed
Canadian
Forces
electors.

Disqualifica-
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Canadian
Forces
elector, as
defined in
paragraph 20,
to complete
statement
and declara-
tion of
ordinary
residence.

Clause 37. Clarification. The present paragraph 17 reads as follows:

"17. The books of key maps referred to in paragraph 14, shall be used by Canadian Forces electors and Veteran electors *from* large centres in Canada to enable them to ascertain the correct electoral district in which they are qualified to vote at the general election, and the books of excerpts from the Canadian Postal Guide shall be used for the same purpose by Canadian Forces electors and Veteran electors *from* other places in Canada."

Clause 38. The purpose of the new paragraph 20A is to enable the wife of a member of the Canadian Forces, who is a Canadian Forces elector, residing with her husband when he is serving outside Canada, to vote under the procedure set forth in the Regulations. The new paragraph 20B is to make it clear that a Canadian Forces elector who is undergoing punishment, detention or imprisonment, or who is subject to any other disqualification set out in section 14 of the Act is disqualified from voting under the procedure set forth in the Regulations.

Clause 39. To make it clear that a member of the Canadian Forces who is a Canadian Forces elector must make a statement as to place of ordinary residence before either he or his wife is entitled to vote under the Regulations, and that his or her vote is to be applied to the electoral district in which that place of ordinary residence is situated. The present paragraph 21 of the Regulations reads as follows:

"21. In order to be entitled to vote under the procedure set forth in these Regulations, a Canadian Forces elector shall specify, in a declaration in Form No. 7, the name of the place of his or her ordinary residence in Canada as defined in paragraph 28, and his or her vote shall be applied only to the electoral district in which such place of ordinary residence is situated."

Canadian
Forces
elector, as
defined in
paragraph
20A, to
complete
declaration of
ordinary
residence.

Vote of
Canadian
Forces
elector to be
applied to
place of resi-
dence.

Ordinary
residence on
enrolment in
regular
forces.

Change of
ordinary
residence and
statement of
ordinary
residence
when not
previously
completed.

(b) specifies in a declaration in Form No. 7 the name of the place of his or her ordinary residence in Canada as shown by the elector on the statement referred to in clause (a).

(2) Notwithstanding paragraph 20A, a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in that paragraph, is not entitled to vote under the procedure set forth in these Regulations, unless

(a) her husband has completed a statement of ordinary residence as provided in paragraph 22 or subparagraph 10

(1) of paragraph 33, and

(b) she specifies in a declaration in Form No. 7A the name of the place of ordinary residence of her husband as shown by him on the statement referred to in clause (a).

(3) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, shall apply his or her vote only to the electoral district in which is situated his or her place of ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by such elector under paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33, and a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20A, shall apply her vote only to the electoral district in which is situated the place of ordinary residence of her husband as shown by him on such statement."

40. (1) Subparagraph (1) of paragraph 22 of the said Regulations is repealed.

(2) Subparagraphs (3) to (7) of paragraph 22 of the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"(3) After the 21st day of December 1951,

(a) every person shall, forthwith upon his or her enrolment in the regular forces of the Canadian Forces, complete, in duplicate, before a commissioned officer, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 16, indicating the city, town, village or other place in Canada in which was situated his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to enrolment; and

(b) a person, not having a place of ordinary residence in Canada immediately prior to enrolment in the regular forces of the Canadian Forces, shall complete, as soon as one or more of the provisions of subparagraph (2) become applicable to his or her circumstances, a statement of ordinary residence in Form No. 15 before a commissioned officer.

(4) A member of the regular forces may, during the month of December in any year and at no other time,

(a) except when he or she is also a member of the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, change his or her place of ordinary residence to the city, town,

Clause 40. (1) Consequential. Subparagraph (1) of paragraph 22 is no longer necessary as all relevant paragraphs now refer to residence as shown on the statement of ordinary residence. Subparagraph (1) of the present paragraph 22 reads as follows:

"22. (1) For the purpose of these Regulations, the place of ordinary residence of a member of the Canadian Forces shall be deemed to be the place of ordinary residence required to be shown by him or her in the statements provided for in this paragraph."

(2) See note (ii) to Clause 35. Paragraph 22 (4) (b) is new. It permits members of the regular forces of the Canadian Forces mentioned in subparagraph (2) who have failed to complete a statement of ordinary residence to complete a statement in December of any year. Subparagraphs (3) to (7) of the present paragraph 22 read as follows:

"(3) After the 21st day of December, 1951,

(a) every person shall, forthwith upon his or her enrolment in the regular forces of the Canadian Forces, complete, in duplicate, before a deputy returning officer, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 16, indicating the city, town, village, or other place in Canada, in which was situated his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to enrolment; and

(b) a person, not having a place of ordinary residence in Canada immediately prior to enrolment in the regular forces of the Canadian Forces, shall complete, as soon as one or more of the provisions of subparagraph (2) become applicable to his or her circumstances, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 15, before a deputy returning officer.

(4) Except when he or she is also a member of the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, a member of the regular forces may, during the month of December of any year and at no other time, change his or her place of ordinary residence to the city, town, village, or other place in Canada referred to in clause (a), (b) or (c) of subparagraph (2) by completing, in duplicate, before a deputy returning officer, a statement of change of ordinary residence, in Form No. 17.

village or other place in Canada referred to in clause (a), (b) or (c) of subparagraph (2) by completing, in duplicate, before a commissioned officer a statement of change of ordinary residence, in Form No. 17, and (b) if he or she has failed to complete a statement of ordinary residence mentioned in subparagraph (2) or (3), complete such statement of ordinary residence either in Form No. 15 or Form No. 16.

Ordinary residence of member of reserve forces on full-time service.

(5) Every member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces not on active service who, at any time during the period beginning on the date of the issue of writs ordering a general election and ending on the Saturday immediately preceding polling day, is on full-time training or service shall complete, in duplicate, before a commissioned officer a statement of ordinary residence in Form No. 18 indicating the city, town, village or other place in Canada where his or her place of ordinary residence was situated immediately prior to commencement of such period of full-time training or service.

Ordinary residence of member of reserve forces on active service.

(6) Every member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces who is placed on active service and who during a current period of full-time training or service has not completed a statement of ordinary residence pursuant to subparagraph (5) shall complete, in duplicate, before a commissioned officer a statement of ordinary residence in Form No. 18, in which will be stated

(a) in the case of a member on full-time training or service, his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to the commencement of such full-time training or service; or

(b) in the case of a member not on full-time training or service, his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to being placed on active service.

Ordinary residence on enrolment in active service forces.

(7) On enrolment in the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, every person who is not a member of the regular or reserve forces shall complete, in duplicate, before a commissioned officer a statement of ordinary residence in Form No. 16 indicating the city, town, village or other place in Canada in which is situated his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to enrolment in the active service forces."

41. Paragraph 23 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Voting by Canadian Forces electors.

"23. Every Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, is entitled to vote at a general election only according to the procedure set forth in these Regulations, unless such elector is, on polling day, at the place of his or

(5) Every member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces not on active service who, at any time during the period beginning on the date of the issue of writs ordering a general election and ending on the Saturday immediately preceding polling day, is on full-time training or service, shall complete, in duplicate, before a *deputy returning officer*, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 18, indicating the city, town, village, or other place in Canada *wherein is* situated his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to commencement of such period of full-time training or service.

(6) Every member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces who is placed on active service, and who, during a current period of full-time training or service, has not completed a statement of ordinary residence pursuant to subparagraph (5), shall complete, in duplicate, before a *deputy returning officer*, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 18, in which will be stated

- (a) in the case of a member on full-time training or service, his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to the commencement of such full-time training or service; or
- (b) in the case of a member not on full-time training or service, his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to being placed on active service.

(7) On enrolment in the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, every person, who is not a member of the regular or reserve forces, shall complete, in duplicate, before a *deputy returning officer*, a statement of ordinary residence, in Form No. 16, indicating the city, town, village, or other place in Canada in which is situated his or her place of ordinary residence immediately prior to enrolment in the active service forces."

Clause 41. Clarification. The present paragraph 23 reads as follows:

"23. Every Canadian Forces elector as defined in paragraph 20, is entitled to vote at a general election only according to the procedure set forth in these Regulations, unless such elector is, on polling day, *in* the place of his or her ordinary residence, as *defined in* paragraph 22, in which case the Canadian Forces elector may vote as a civilian elector, subject to the limitation set out in paragraph 39."

her ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by the elector under paragraph 22, in which case the Canadian Forces elector may vote as a civilian elector, subject to the limitation set out in paragraph 39."

42. Subparagraph (3) of paragraph 24 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Duties of
liaison
officer.

"(3) The liaison officer designated in each of the respective Forces shall, immediately upon receiving notice of his appointment, communicate with the commanding officer of every unit stationed in the voting territory, stating all necessary particulars not included in these Regulations relating to the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors at the general election; during the period between the issue of the writs ordering the general election and polling day thereat, the liaison officer shall cooperate with the special returning officer, the various commanding officers and deputy returning officers designated pursuant to paragraph 29 in the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors."

43. (1) Subparagraph (1) of paragraph 25 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Publication
of notice of
general
election

"25. (1) Every commanding officer shall, forthwith upon being notified by the liaison officer that a general election has been ordered in Canada, publish as part of Daily Orders a notice in Form No. 5 informing all Canadian Forces electors under his command that a general election has been ordered in Canada and shall therein state the date fixed for polling day; it shall also be stated in such notice that every Canadian Forces elector may cast his vote before any deputy returning officer designated by the commanding officer for that purpose during such hours as may be fixed by the commanding officer, not less than three each day, of the six days from Monday the seventh day before polling day to the Saturday immediately preceding polling day, both inclusive; the commanding officer shall afford all necessary facilities to Canadian Forces electors attached to his unit, and to the wives of such electors who are Canadian Forces electors, as defined in paragraph 20A, to cast their votes in the manner prescribed in these Regulations."

(2) All that portion of subparagraph (2) of paragraph 25 of the said Regulations preceding clause (a) thereof is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Notification
of days, hours
and places of
voting.

"(2) On at least three days before the period fixed for voting by Canadian Forces electors as provided in sub-

Clause 42. To define more clearly the duties of a liaison officer. The present paragraph 24 (3) reads as follows:

"(3) The liaison officer designated in each of the respective Forces shall immediately communicate with the commanding officer of every unit stationed in the voting territory, stating all necessary particulars relating to the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors at the general election; during the period between the issue of the writs ordering the general election and polling day thereat, the liaison officer shall cooperate with the special returning officer and the various commanding officers, in the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors."

Clause 43. (1) To enable commanding officers to fix the three hours for voting at any time during the day. Further, the amendment is consequential to Clause 38, and provides that a commanding officer of a unit is to make the facilities of Service voting places in his unit available to wives of members of the Canadian Forces who are qualified to vote as Canadian Forces electors pursuant to Clause 38. The present paragraph 25 (1) reads as follows:

"25. (1) Every commanding officer shall, forthwith upon being notified by the liaison officer, publish as part of Daily Orders, a notice, in Form No. 5, informing all Canadian Forces electors under his command that a general election has been ordered in Canada and shall therein state the date fixed for polling day; it shall also be stated in *the said* notice that every Canadian Forces elector may cast his vote before any deputy returning officer designated by the commanding officer for that purpose, during such hours as may be fixed by the commanding officer, not less than three each day, *between nine o'clock in the forenoon and ten o'clock in the evening*, of the six days from Monday the seventh day before polling day to the Saturday immediately preceding polling day, both inclusive; the commanding officer shall afford all necessary facilities to Canadian Forces electors attached to his unit to cast their votes in the manner prescribed in these Regulations."

(2) To do away with the necessity for a commanding officer issuing Daily Orders on a day on which they are ordinarily not issued, unless such a day is one on which voting takes place. All that portion of paragraph 25 (2) preceding clause (a) thereof now reads as follows:

"(2) At least *two* days before the period fixed for voting by Canadian Forces electors, as *prescribed* in subparagraph (1), and every day *thereafter until the Saturday immediately preceding polling day*, every commanding officer shall publish in Daily Orders, with the necessary modifications, a notice stating"

paragraph (1) and on every day on which such voting takes place, every commanding officer shall publish in Daily Orders, with the necessary modifications, a notice stating"

1952-53, c. 24,
s. 7.

44. Paragraphs 26 to 29 of the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

List of names,
etc., of
Canadian
Forces
electors.

"26. Within two weeks after the publication of a notice in Daily Orders, in Form No. 5, each commanding officer shall, through the liaison officer, furnish to the special returning officer for the appropriate voting territory, a list of

(a) the names, ranks, numbers and, in the case of those who completed statements under paragraph 22, places of ordinary residence, as shown on such statements, of Canadian Forces electors, as defined in paragraph 20, attached to his unit; and

(b) the names of Canadian Forces electors, as defined in paragraph 20A, who are married to Canadian Forces electors described in clause (a), and the names, ranks, numbers and, in the case of those whose husbands completed statements under paragraph 22, places of ordinary residence as shown on such statements of their husbands;

the commanding officer shall also furnish to the deputy returning officer a copy of such list for the taking of the votes of the Canadian Forces electors described in clauses (a) and (b); at any reasonable time during an election, such list and the statements referred to in paragraph 22 shall be open to inspection by any officially nominated candidate or his accredited representative and such persons shall be permitted to make extracts therefrom.

Canadian
Forces
elector in
hospital, etc.

27. (1) Every Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, who is undergoing treatment in a Service hospital or convalescent institution during the period prescribed in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 25 for the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors at a general election shall be deemed to be a member of the unit under the command of the officer in charge of such hospital or convalescent institution, and a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20A, whose husband is in such hospital or institution may vote at the place where her husband may vote or at the place where he could have voted before he went in such hospital or institution.

Voting by
bed-ridden
Canadian
Forces
electors.

(2) Whenever deemed advisable by the deputy returning officer who is authorized under these Regulations to take

Clause 44. The amendment to paragraph 26 of the Regulations is consequential to Clause 38, and provides for the preparation of lists of wives of members of the Canadian Forces residing outside Canada with their husbands who are eligible to vote under the Regulations in accordance with Clause 38; it also requires commanding officers to include on the lists prepared in their units the names of all Canadian Forces electors, even though some may not have completed statements of ordinary residence. The present paragraph 26 reads as follows:

"26. Within two weeks after the publication of a notice in Daily Orders, in Form No. 5, each commanding officer shall, through the liaison officer, furnish to the special returning officer for the appropriate voting territory, a list of the names, ranks, numbers and places of ordinary residence, as *prescribed in paragraph 22*, of Canadian Forces electors attached to his unit; the commanding officer shall also furnish to the deputy returning officer a copy of such list for the taking of the votes of the Canadian Forces electors *attached to his unit*; at any reasonable time during an election, such list and the statements referred to in paragraph 22 shall be open to inspection by any officially nominated candidate or his accredited representative, and such persons shall be permitted to make extracts therefrom."

The amendment to subparagraph (1) of paragraph 27 is consequential to Clause 38, and permits a wife who is qualified to vote as a Canadian Forces elector, whose husband is undergoing treatment in a Service hospital or convalescent institution, to vote either at that hospital or institution or at the unit where her husband was entitled to vote prior to admission to the hospital or institution. The proposed subparagraph (2) of that paragraph is to enable a deputy returning officer to go from room to room in Service hospitals or convalescent institutions to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors. The proposed subparagraph (3) of that paragraph is to ensure that the vote is taken in all Service hospitals or convalescent institutions. The present paragraph 27 reads as follows:

"27. Every Canadian Forces elector in a Service hospital or convalescent institution, during the period prescribed in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 25 for the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors at *the* general election, shall be deemed to be a member of the unit under the command of the officer in charge of such hospital or convalescent institution."

the votes at a Service hospital or convalescent institution, he shall, with the approval of the officer commanding such hospital or institution, go from room to room to take the votes of the bed-ridden Canadian Forces electors.

When no deputy returning officer appointed for Service hospital, etc.

(3) If a deputy returning officer is not appointed specifically for a Service hospital or convalescent institution, the deputy returning officer appointed for the unit to which such hospital or institution belongs may take the votes of Canadian Forces electors confined in such hospital or institution.

Distribution of supplies by commanding officer.

28. Forthwith upon receiving the supplies mentioned in paragraph 19, the commanding officer shall distribute such supplies in sufficient quantities to every deputy returning officer designated by him to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors; the commanding officer shall also cause copies of the printed list of names and surnames of candidates to be posted up on the bulletin boards of his unit and in other conspicuous places.

Posting up of list of names of candidates.

Before whom votes of Canadian Forces electors to be cast.

29. The vote of every Canadian Forces elector shall be cast before a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, who has been designated by a commanding officer to act as a deputy returning officer."

45. Subparagraphs (1) and (2) of paragraph 32 of the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Representative of political group.

"32. (1) Any Canadian citizen, other than a member of the Canadian Forces, may, upon delivering to the deputy returning officer who is taking the votes of Canadian Forces electors a declaration, in Form No. 10, completed and signed by a candidate at a general election, act as a representative of the political group to which the candidate belongs at the taking of such votes."

1952-53, c. 24, s. 7.

46. (1) Subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Declaration by Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20.

"33. (1) Before delivering a ballot paper to a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, the deputy returning officer before whom the vote is to be cast shall require such elector to make a declaration, in Form No. 7, which shall be printed on the back of the outer envelope in which the inner envelope containing the ballot paper, when marked, is to be placed, such declaration to state such Canadian Forces elector's name, rank and number,

Paragraph 28. See note (ii) to Clause 35. The present paragraph 28 reads as follows:

"28. Forthwith upon the receipt of the supplies mentioned in paragraph 19, the commanding officer shall distribute such supplies in sufficient quantities to every *commissioned* officer designated by him to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors; the commanding officer shall also cause copies of the printed list of names and surnames of candidates to be posted up on the bulletin boards of his unit and in other conspicuous places."

The amendment to paragraph 29 is to provide that only a member of the Canadian Forces, who is a Canadian Forces elector, can act as a deputy returning officer for the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors. The present paragraph 29 reads as follows:

"29. The vote of every Canadian Forces elector shall be cast before a Canadian Forces elector who has been designated by a commanding officer to act as a deputy returning officer."

Clause 45. To permit a candidate at a general election to nominate any Canadian citizen, other than a member of the Canadian Forces, to act as the representative of the political group to which the candidate belongs, in a Service voting place either in or outside Canada. Subparagraphs (1) and (2) of the present paragraph 32 read as follows:

"32. (1) Any person qualified to vote as a civilian elector at the general election may, upon delivery of a declaration, completed and signed by himself, in Form No. 10, to the deputy returning officer who is taking the votes of Canadian Forces electors, act as representative of a political party at the taking of such votes.

(2) In any voting place where it is not possible for a civilian elector to act as a representative of a political party, as provided in subparagraph (1), a Canadian Forces elector may, with the approval of the commanding officer, act as such representative."

Clause 46. (1) The amendment to subparagraph (1) provides that the statement of ordinary residence in respect of a member of the reserve forces is Form No. 18. The new subparagraph (1a) is consequential to Clause 38, and sets out the procedure for voting to be followed by a Canadian Forces elector who is the wife of a member of the Canadian Forces. The present paragraph 33 (1) reads as follows:

"33. (1) Before delivering a ballot paper to a Canadian Forces elector, the deputy returning officer before whom the vote is to be cast shall require such elector to make a declaration in Form No. 7, which shall be printed on the back of the outer envelope in which the inner envelope containing the ballot paper, when marked, is to be placed, such declaration to state the Canadian Forces elector's name, rank, and number, that he is a Canadian citizen or other British subject, that he has attained the full age of twenty-one years (except in the case referred to in subparagraph (2) of paragraph 20), that he has not previously voted at the general election, and the name of the place in Canada, with street address, if any, of his ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22, or, if no such statement appears to have been made, he shall subscribe to a statement in Form No. 16, and the place of ordinary residence to be declared in Form No. 7 shall be the place of ordinary residence shown in the said Form No. 16; the name of the electoral district and of the province in which such place of ordinary residence is situated may be stated in such declaration in Form No. 7; the deputy returning officer shall cause the Canadian Forces elector to affix his signature to the said declaration, and the certificate printed thereunder shall then be completed and signed by the deputy returning officer."

that he is a Canadian citizen or other British subject, that he has attained the full age of twenty-one years (except in the case referred to in subparagraph (2) of paragraph 20), that he has not previously voted at the general election, and the name of the place in Canada, with street address, if any, of his ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22, or, if no such statement appears to have been made, he shall subscribe to a statement, in Form No. 16, if he is a member of the regular forces, or in Form No. 18, if he is a member of the reserve forces, before a commissioned officer or a deputy returning officer, and the place of ordinary residence to be declared in Form No. 7 shall be the place of ordinary residence shown on Form No. 16 or Form No. 18; the name of the electoral district and of the province in which such place of ordinary residence is situated may be stated in such declaration in Form No. 7; the deputy returning officer shall cause such Canadian Forces elector to affix his signature to the said declaration, and the certificate printed thereunder shall then be completed and signed by the deputy returning officer.

Declaration
by Canadian
Forces elec-
tor, as defined
in paragraph
20A.

(1a) Before delivering a ballot paper to a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20A, the deputy returning officer before whom the vote is to be cast shall require such elector to make a declaration, in Form No. 7A, which shall be printed on the back of the outer envelope in which the inner envelope containing the ballot paper, when marked, is to be placed, such declaration to state such Canadian Forces elector's name and the name, rank and number of her husband, that she is a Canadian citizen or other British subject, that she has attained the full age of twenty-one years, that she has not previously voted at the general election, and the name of the place in Canada, with a street address, if any, of the ordinary residence of her husband as shown on the statement made by him under paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of this paragraph; the name of the electoral district and of the province in which such place of ordinary residence is situated may be stated in such declaration in Form No. 7A; the deputy returning officer shall cause such Canadian Forces elector to affix her signature to the said declaration, and the certificate printed thereunder shall then be completed and signed by the deputy returning officer."

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s. 7.

Filing of
statements.

(2) Subparagraph (6) of paragraph 33 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor: "(6) The original of each statement of ordinary residence completed pursuant to this paragraph shall be forwarded to and filed at the appropriate service Headquarters and the duplicate shall be retained in the unit with the declarant's service documents."

(2) Consequential to the proposed amendments in Clause
46 (1). The present paragraph 33 (6) reads as follows:

"(6) The original of each *Form No. 16* completed pursuant to this paragraph shall be forwarded to and filed at the appropriate service Headquarters and the duplicate shall be retained in the unit with the declarant's service documents."

47. Paragraph 34 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Manner of
voting by
Canadian
Forces elector.

"34. After a Canadian Forces elector has completed and signed a declaration in Form No. 7 or Form No. 7A and the deputy returning officer has completed and signed the certificate printed thereunder, as prescribed in subparagraphs (1) or (1a) of paragraph 33, the deputy returning officer shall hand a ballot paper to such elector, who shall cast his vote secretly by writing thereon, with ink or with a pencil of any colour, the names (or initials) and surname of the candidate of his choice; the ballot paper shall then be folded by the Canadian Forces elector; when this has been done, the deputy returning officer shall hand an inner envelope to the Canadian Forces elector, who shall place the ballot paper so folded in the inner envelope, seal such inner envelope and hand it to the deputy returning officer, who shall, in full view of the Canadian Forces elector, place it in the outer envelope addressed to the special returning officer, seal the said outer envelope and hand it to the Canadian Forces elector."

48. (1) Subparagraph (1) of paragraph 35 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Disposition of
completed
outer
envelope.

"35. (1) When, under paragraph 34, the deputy returning officer before whom the vote of a Canadian Forces elector has been cast hands the outer envelope containing the ballot paper to the Canadian Forces elector, the Canadian Forces elector shall forthwith despatch it by ordinary mail or by such other facilities as may be available and expeditious to the special returning officer whose name and address have been printed on the face of the outer envelope."

(2) Subparagraph (4) of paragraph 35 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Postal
facilities.

"(4) Every commanding officer shall, whenever possible, provide that the voting place established for taking the votes of Canadian Forces electors shall be located in close proximity to a post office, mail box or other receptacle provided for mail; the deputy returning officer before whom a Canadian Forces elector has cast his vote shall direct such elector to the nearest post office, mail box or other receptacle provided for mail from which outer envelopes may be despatched to the special returning officer."

49. Paragraph 39 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Canadian
Forces
elector voting
as civilian.

"39. (1) A member of the Canadian Forces who

Clause 47. Consequential to proposed new subparagraph (1a) of paragraph 33 of the Regulations as set out in Clause 46 (1). The present paragraph 34 reads as follows:

"34. After the declaration has been completed and signed by the Canadian Forces elector, and the certificate printed thereunder has been completed and signed by the deputy returning officer, as prescribed in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33, the deputy returning officer shall hand a ballot paper to such elector, who shall cast his vote secretly by writing thereon, with ink or with a pencil of any colour, the names (or initials) and surname of the candidate of his choice; the ballot paper shall then be folded by the Canadian Forces elector; when this has been done, the deputy returning officer shall hand an inner envelope to the Canadian Forces elector, who shall place the ballot paper so folded in the inner envelope, seal such inner envelope, and hand it to the deputy returning officer, who shall, in full view of the Canadian Forces elector, place it in the outer envelope addressed to the special returning officer, seal the said outer envelope and hand it to the Canadian Forces elector."

Clause 48. (1) and (2) To facilitate the transmission of outer envelopes containing ballot papers. Subparagraphs (1) and (4) of the present paragraph 35 read as follows:

"35. (1) The deputy returning officer before whom the vote of a Canadian Forces elector has been cast shall, as prescribed in paragraph 34, hand the outer envelope, containing the ballot paper, to the Canadian Forces elector, who shall himself forthwith despatch it by ordinary mail or by such other postal facilities as may be available and expeditious, to the special returning officer whose name and address have been printed on the face of the outer envelope.

(4) Every commanding officer shall, whenever possible, provide that the voting place established for taking the votes of Canadian Forces electors shall be located in close proximity to a post office or mail box; the deputy returning officer before whom a Canadian Forces elector has cast his vote shall direct such elector to the nearest post office or mail box from which outer envelopes may be despatched to the special returning officer."

Clause 49. (1) Clarification. (2) This amendment is consequential to Clause 38, and would permit a wife who is a Canadian Forces elector and accompanies her husband who is absent on duty or on leave from his unit, to vote at any Service voting place with her husband. The present paragraph 39 reads as follows:

"39. (1) A Canadian Forces elector who has not voted in the manner prescribed in these Regulations, and who is in the place of his ordinary residence on polling day, may cast his vote in the manner prescribed in the Canada Elections Act for civilian electors; in such case, however, the name of the Canadian Forces elector shall, in an urban polling division, appear on the official list of electors used at the poll."

(a) has completed a statement of ordinary residence as provided in paragraph 22, and

(b) has not voted under the procedure set forth in these Regulations,

may cast his vote at the place of his ordinary residence as shown on such statement in the manner prescribed in the *Canada Elections Act* for civilian electors; but nothing in this subparagraph shall be deemed to entitle a Canadian Forces elector to vote in an urban polling division unless his name appears on the official list of electors used at the poll. 5 10

Voting by Canadian Forces elector on duty, leave or furlough.

(2) A Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20, who is absent from his unit, on duty, leave or on furlough, during the voting period prescribed in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 25, may, on production of documentary proof that he is on duty, leave or on furlough, cast his vote elsewhere before any deputy returning officer, when such person is actually engaged in the taking of the votes, and a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20A, who is accompanying her husband during the absence may on producing documentary proof of her identity cast her vote at the same place as her husband." 15 20

50. The heading preceding paragraph 41 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor: 25

"PROCEDURE FOR TAKING THE VOTES AT A GENERAL ELECTION OF VETERANS OF THE WAR 1914-1918 AND THE WAR THAT BEGAN ON THE 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1939, AND OF VETERANS WHO SERVED ON ACTIVE SERVICE SUBSEQUENT TO THE 9TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1950, WHO ARE RECEIVING TREATMENT OR DOMICILIARY CARE IN CERTAIN HOSPITALS OR INSTITUTIONS." 30

51. Paragraph 65 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Application of certain paragraphs and forms.

"65. Paragraphs 20 to 40 and Forms Nos. 5, 7, 9, 10 and 14 to 18 do not apply to the taking of the votes of Veteran electors." 35

52. Clauses (d) and (e) of paragraph 84 of the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor: 40

"(d) makes any untrue statement in the declaration in Form No. 7 or Form No. 7A signed by him or her before a deputy returning officer or, in the case of a Veteran elector in Form No. 12 signed by him before two deputy special returning officers; or 45

(2) A Canadian Forces elector who is absent from his unit, on duty, leave or on furlough, during the voting period prescribed in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 25, and who has not already voted at the general election, may, on production of documentary proof that he is on duty, leave or on furlough, cast his vote elsewhere before any deputy returning officer, when such person is actually engaged in the taking of such votes."

Clause 50. Remedial. The present heading reads as follows:

"PROCEDURE FOR TAKING THE VOTES, AT A GENERAL ELECTION, OF VETERANS OF THE WAR 1914-1918 AND THE WAR THAT BEGAN ON THE 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1939, WHO ARE RECEIVING TREATMENT OR DOMICILIARY CARE IN CERTAIN HOSPITALS OR INSTITUTIONS."

Clause 51. Remedial. The present paragraph 65 reads as follows:

"65. Paragraphs 20 to 40 and Forms Nos. 5, 7, 9 and 10 do not apply to the taking of the votes of Veteran electors."

Clause 52. The proposed amendment to Clause (d) is consequential to proposed new subparagraph (1a) of paragraph 33 of the Regulations as set out in Clause 46 (1), and extends the present provisions in respect of any untrue statement to one contained in proposed new Form No. 7A of the Regulations. The amendment to Clause (e) is consequential to the proposed amendments in Clause 46 (1). Clauses (d) and (e) of the present paragraph 84 read as follows:

(d) makes any untrue statement in the declaration in Form No. 7 signed by him before a deputy returning officer or, in the case of a Veteran elector in Form No. 12 signed by him before two deputy special returning officers; or

(e) makes any untrue declaration in the statement of ordinary residence completed pursuant to paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33;”

53. Paragraph 87 of the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Procedure on
withdrawal of
candidate.

“87. Where a candidate withdraws during the period between nomination day and three days before polling day, the Chief Electoral Officer shall, by the most expeditious means, notify every special returning officer of such withdrawal; the special returning officer shall forthwith so notify every commanding officer stationed in his voting territory and every deputy special returning officer who has been appointed to take the votes of Veteran electors in such voting territory; the commanding officer shall, as much as possible, notify every deputy returning officer designated by him to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors of such withdrawal, and such deputy returning officer or the deputy special returning officers shall inform the Canadian Forces electors or Veteran electors concerned as to the name of the candidate who has withdrawn when such electors are applying to vote; any votes cast by Canadian Forces electors or Veteran electors for a candidate who has withdrawn are null and void.”

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(e) makes any untrue declaration in the statement of ordinary residence completed pursuant to paragraph 22;"

Clause 53. See note (ii) to Clause 35. The present paragraph 87 reads as follows:

"87. *In the case of the withdrawal of a candidate during the period between nomination day and three days before polling day, the Chief Electoral Officer shall, by the most expeditious means, notify every special returning officer of such withdrawal; the special returning officer shall forthwith so notify every commanding officer stationed in his voting territory, and every deputy special returning officer who has been appointed to take the votes of Veteran electors in such voting territory; the commanding officer shall, as much as possible, notify every commissioned officer designated by him to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors of such withdrawal, and such commissioned officer or the deputy special returning officers shall inform the Canadian Forces electors or Veteran electors concerned as to the name of the candidate who has withdrawn, when such electors are applying to vote; any votes cast by Canadian Forces electors or Veteran electors for a candidate who has withdrawn are null and void.*"

54. Form No. 5 to the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 5

NOTICE TO CANADIAN FORCES ELECTORS THAT A GENERAL
ELECTION HAS BEEN ORDERED IN CANADA. (Par. 25)

Notice is hereby given that writs have been issued ordering that a general election be held in Canada, and that the date fixed as polling day is....., the.....day of 19.....

Notice is further given that, pursuant to *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, all Canadian Forces electors, as defined in paragraph 20 of the said Regulations, *and the wives of such Canadian Forces electors residing with their husbands outside Canada* are entitled to vote at such general election upon application to any deputy returning officer designated for the purpose of taking such votes.

And that voting by Canadian Forces electors will take place on each of the six days from Monday, the.....day of....., 19...., to Saturday, the.....day of....., 19...., both inclusive.

And that a notice giving the exact location of each voting place established in the unit under my command, together with the hours fixed for voting on each day in such voting places, will be published in Daily Orders during the whole of the above mentioned voting period.

Given under my hand at....., this.....day of 19.....

.....
Commanding officer.

*Note: Strike out the words between asterisks when the unit is stationed in Canada.

Clause 54. This amendment is consequential to Clause 38, and modifies the form of notice required to be promulgated by commanding officers of units outside Canada in respect of a general election to include a reference to wives of Canadian Forces electors qualified to vote under the Regulations. The present Form No. 5 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 5

NOTICE TO CANADIAN FORCES ELECTORS THAT A GENERAL ELECTION HAS
BEEN ORDERED IN CANADA. (Par. 25)

Notice is hereby given that writs have been issued ordering that a general election be held in Canada, and that the date fixed as polling day is....., the..... day of....., 19.....

Notice is further given that pursuant to *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, all Canadian Forces electors, as defined in paragraph 20 of the said Regulations, are entitled to vote at such general election upon application to any deputy returning officer designated for the purpose of taking such votes.

And that voting by Canadian Forces electors will take place on each of the six days from Monday, the..... day of....., 19...., to Saturday, the..... day of....., 19...., both inclusive.

And that a notice giving the exact location of each voting place established in the unit under my command, together with the hours fixed for voting on each day in such voting places, will be published in Daily Orders during the whole of the above mentioned voting period.

Given under my hand at....., this..... day of....., 19.....

.....
Commanding officer.”

55. (1) Form No. 7 to the said Regulations is amended by striking out the heading

“FORM No. 7

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A CANADIAN FORCES ELECTOR
BEFORE BEING ALLOWED TO VOTE. (Par. 33)”

and substituting therefor the heading

“FORM No. 7

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A CANADIAN FORCES ELECTOR,
AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH 20 OF *The Canadian Forces*
Voting Regulations BEFORE BEING ALLOWED TO VOTE.
(Par. 33)”

(2) Paragraph 7 of Form No. 7 to the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

“7. That the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as
shown on the statement made by me under paragraph 22
or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33 of *The Canadian Forces*
Voting Regulations, is

.....
(Here insert the name of the city, town, village or other place in

.....
Canada, with street address, if any)

.....
(Here insert name of electoral district)

.....
(Here insert name of province)”

Clause 55. (1). This amendment is consequential to Clauses 38 and 46 (1), and makes Form No. 7 applicable only to Canadian Forces electors who are members of the Canadian Forces.

(2) Consequential to the proposed amendments in Clause 46 (1). Paragraph 7 of the present Form No. 7 reads as follows:

"7. That the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as *prescribed in paragraph 22 of The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is

.....
(Here insert the name of the city, town, village, or other place in

.....
Canada, with street address, if any)

.....
(Here insert name of electoral district)

.....
(Here insert name of province)"

56. The said Regulations are further amended by adding thereto immediately after Form No. 7 thereto the following form:

"FORM No. 7A

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A CANADIAN FORCES ELECTOR,
AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH 20A OF *The Canadian Forces*
Voting Regulations, BEFORE BEING ALLOWED TO
VOTE. (Par. 33)

I hereby declare

1. That my name is.....
(Insert full name, surname last)
2. That my husband's name is.....
(Insert full name of husband, surname last)
3. That his rank is.....
4. That his number is.....
5. That I am a Canadian citizen or other British subject.
6. That I have attained the full age of twenty-one years.
7. That I have not previously voted as a Canadian Forces elector at the pending general election.
8. That the place of my husband's ordinary residence in Canada as shown by him on the statement made under paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations* is.....
(Here insert the name of the city, town, village or other place in
.....
Canada, with street address, if any)
.....
(Here insert name of electoral district)
.....
(Here insert name of province)

I hereby declare that the above statements are true in substance and in fact.

Dated at....., this.....
day of....., 19.....

.....
Signature of wife of Canadian Forces elector.

CERTIFICATE OF DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER.

I hereby certify that the above named Canadian Forces elector did this day make before me the above set forth declaration.

.....
Signature of deputy returning officer.

.....
(Here insert rank, number, and name of unit)"

Clause 56. Consequential to Clauses 38 and 46 (1). This new Form No. 7A is the form of the declaration to be made at the time of voting by a wife of a Canadian Forces elector who is entitled to vote under the Regulations.

57. (1) Paragraph 1 of Form No. 9 to the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"1. A Canadian Forces elector (including the wife of a Canadian Forces elector residing with her husband outside Canada)* is entitled to vote for the candidate of his choice, officially nominated in the electoral district in which is situated the place of his (or her husband's)* ordinary residence as shown on the statement made by him (or her husband)* under paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*.

* Strike out the words in brackets where the unit is stationed in Canada.

(2) Paragraph 11 of Form No. 9 to the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"11. The Canadian Forces elector shall then mail the completed outer envelope in the nearest post office, mail box, or by such other facilities as may be available and expeditious."

Clause 57. (1) Consequential to Clauses 38 and 39. Form No. 9 (Card of Instructions) will now make reference to the wife of a Canadian Forces elector who is entitled to vote under the Regulations. Paragraph 1 of the present Form No. 9 reads as follows:

"1. A Canadian Forces elector is entitled to vote for the candidate of his choice, officially nominated in the electoral district in which is situated the place of his ordinary residence as *prescribed in paragraph 22 of The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations.*"

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(2) Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 48. Paragraph 11 of the present Form No. 9 reads as follows:

"11. The Canadian Forces elector shall then mail the completed outer envelope in the nearest post office, mail box, or by such other *postal facilities* as may be available and expeditious."

58. Form No. 10 to the said Regulations is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 10

DECLARATION NOMINATING REPRESENTATIVE OF POLITICAL GROUP.
(Par. 32)

To the deputy returning officer designated to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors at.....

Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 32 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, I hereby declare that.....
is nominated to represent the interests of the.....
political group during the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors in the above mentioned voting place.

Given under my hand at....., this.....
day of....., 19.....

.....
Candidate in the electoral district

of....."

Clause 58. Consequential to Clause 45. See also note (ii) to Clause 35. The present Form No. 10 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 10.

DECLARATION *of* REPRESENTATIVE OF POLITICAL *Party*. (Par. 32)

To the *commissioned* officer designated to take the votes of Canadian Forces electors at.....

Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 32 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, I hereby declare that *I am qualified to vote at the general election now pending in Canada, and that I have undertaken to represent the interests of the..... political party, during the taking of the votes of Canadian Forces electors in this voting place.*

Given under my hand at.....this.....
day of....., 19.....

.....
Representative.”

59. Forms Nos. 14 to 18 to the said Regulations are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"FORM No. 14

AFFIDAVIT OF QUALIFICATION. (Par. 33(3))

I, the undersigned, do swear (*or solemnly affirm*)

1. That my name is.....
(*Insert full name, surname last*)
- *2. That my husband's name is.....
(*Insert full name of husband, surname last*)
3. That my (his) rank is.....
4. That my (his) number is.....
5. That I am a Canadian citizen or other British subject.
- †6. That I have attained the full age of twenty-one years.
7. That I have not previously voted as a Canadian Forces elector at the pending general election.
8. That the place of my (husband's) ordinary residence in Canada, as shown on the statement made by me (him) under paragraph 22 or subparagraph (1) of paragraph 33 of The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations, is.....
(*Here insert the name of the city, town, village or other place in*
.....
Canada, with street address, if any)
.....
(*Here insert name of electoral district*)
.....
(*Here insert name of province*)

SWORN (*or affirmed*) before me

at.....,
this..... day of.....
19.....

.....
*Signature of Canadian
Forces elector.*

.....
Deputy returning officer.

* Strike out this line except in the case of a Canadian Forces elector, as defined in paragraph 20A of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*.

† Strike out this line if it is not applicable pursuant to paragraph 20(2) of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*.

Clause 59. Form No. 14. This amendment is consequential to Clause 38, and adapts that form to provide for an affidavit of qualification by a wife who is a Canadian Forces elector. The present Form No. 14 reads as follows:

"FORM No. 14

AFFIDAVIT OF QUALIFICATION. (Par. 33 (3))

I, the undersigned, do swear (*or solemnly affirm*)

1. That my name is.....
(*Insert full name, surname last*)
2. That my rank is.....
3. That my number is.....
4. That I am a Canadian citizen or other British subject.
- *5. That I have attained the full age of twenty-one years.
6. That I have not previously voted as a Canadian Forces elector at the pending general election.
7. That the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as *prescribed* in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is

.....
(*Here insert the name of the city, town, village, or other place*

.....
in Canada, with street address, if any)

.....
(*Here insert name of electoral district*)

.....
(*Here insert name of province*)

SWORN (*or affirmed*) before me

at.....

this.....day of.....

19.....

.....
Deputy returning officer.

.....
Signature of Canadian Forces elector.

* Strike out this line if it is not applicable pursuant to paragraph 20 (2) of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*."

FORM No. 15

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (2), (3) (b), (4) (b).)
 (Only applicable to members of the regular forces enrolled on or prior
 to June 21, 1952.)

I HEREBY DECLARE

That my name is.....,
 that my age is....., that my rank is.....
 and that my number is.....

THAT the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as prescribed
 in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is.....

.....
(Insert name of city, town, village or other place in Canada,

.....
with street address, if any, and province)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance
 and in fact.

Dated at....., this.....day
 of....., 19....

.....
Signature of member of the regular forces.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONED OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the
 regular forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did
 make before me the above set forth declaration.

.....
Signature of commissioned officer.

.....
(Insert rank, number and name of unit)

Form No. 15. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 40. See also note (ii) to Clause 35. The present Form No. 15 reads as follows:

“FORM No. 15

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (2), (3) (b))
(Only applicable to members of the regular forces enrolled on or prior
to the effective date of this paragraph)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is ,
that my age is , that my rank is ,
and that my number is

THAT the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as prescribed
in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is
.
(Insert name of city, town, village, or other place in Canada,
.
with street address, if any)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance
and in fact.

Dated at , this day
of , 19

.
Signature of member of the regular forces.

CERTIFICATE OF *Deputy Returning* OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the
regular forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did
make before me the above set forth declaration.

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Signature of deputy returning officer.

.
(Insert rank, number, and name of unit)”

FORM No. 16

R.S., c. 23,
1952-53, c. 24,
s. 7.

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE ON ENROLMENT.

(Par. 22 (3) (a), (4) (b) and (7) and par. 33 (1).)

(Applicable to regular force members on enrolment subsequent to June 21, 1952, to persons on enrolment in the active service forces and to persons required to complete this Form pursuant to paragraph 33 (1).)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is.....,
that my age is....., that my rank is.....
and that my number is.....

THAT my place of ordinary residence in Canada immediately prior to the date of my enrolment, as prescribed in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, was.....

.....
(Insert name of city, town, village or other place in Canada,

.....
with street address, if any, and province)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance and in fact.

Dated at....., this.....day
of....., 19....

.....
Signature of member of the regular forces or active service forces.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONED OFFICER OR OF DEPUTY RETURNING
OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the regular forces or the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did make before me the above set forth declaration.

.....
Signature of commissioned officer or of deputy returning officer.

.....
(Insert rank, number and name of unit)

Form No. 16. Consequential to the proposed amendments in Clauses 40 and 46. The present Form No. 16 reads as follows:

"FORM No. 16

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE ON ENROLMENT

(Par. 22 (3) (a) and (6) and par. 33 (1))

(Applicable to regular force members on enrolment subsequent to June 21, 1952, to persons on enrolment in the active service forces and to persons required to complete this Form pursuant to paragraph 33 (1)).

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is.....,
that my age is....., that my rank is.....,
and that my number is.....

THAT my place of ordinary residence in Canada, immediately prior to the date of my enrolment, as prescribed in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, was

.....
(Insert name of city, town, village, or other place in Canada,

.....
with street address, if any)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance and in fact.

Dated at....., this.....day
of....., 19....

.....
Signature of member of the regular forces or active service forces

CERTIFICATE OF DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the regular forces or the active service forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did make before me the above set forth declaration.

.....
Signature of deputy returning officer.

.....
(Insert rank, number, and name of unit)."

FORM No. 17

STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (4) (a).)

(Only applicable to regular force members who are not members of an active service force.)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is....., that my age is.....,
that my rank is..... and that my number is....THAT the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as prescribed
in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is now.....
(Insert name of city, town, village or other place in Canada,.....
with street address, if any, and province)I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance
and in fact.Dated at....., this.....day
of....., 19..........
Signature of member of the regular forces.CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONED OFFICER.I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the
regular forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did
make before me the above set forth declaration......
Signature of commissioned officer......
(Insert rank, number and name of unit)

Form No. 17. See note (ii) to Clause 35. The present Form No. 17 reads as follows:

"FORM NO. 17

STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (4))

(Only applicable to regular force members who are not members of an active service force)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is, that my age is,
that my rank is, and that my number is

THAT the place of my ordinary residence in Canada, as prescribed in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is now

.
(Insert name of city, town, village, or other place in Canada,

.
with street address, if any)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance and in fact.

Dated at, this day of
., 19

.
Signature of member of the regular forces.

CERTIFICATE OF *Deputy Returning* OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the regular forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did make before me the above set forth declaration.

.
Signature of deputy returning officer.

.
(Insert rank, number, and name of unit)."

FORM No. 18

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (5) and (6)
and par. 33 (1).)

(Applicable to members of the reserve forces on full-time training or service not on active service during period commencing on date of ordering of general election, or on being placed on active service, and to persons required to complete this Form pursuant to paragraph 33 (1).)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is....., that my
age is....., that my rank is.....
and that my number is.....

THAT my place of ordinary residence in Canada immediately
prior to:

the commencement of my current continuous period of full-
time training or service/and active service

OR

being placed on active service not immediately preceded by
a period of full-time training or service,
as prescribed in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regula-
tions*, is.....

(Insert name of city, town, village or other place in Canada,

.....
with street address, if any, and province)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance
and in fact.

Dated at....., this.....day
of....., 19.....

.....
Signature of member of reserve forces.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONED OFFICER OR OF DEPUTY RETURNING
OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the
reserve forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did
make before me the above set forth declaration.

.....
Signature of commissioned officer or of deputy returning officer.

.....
(Insert rank, number and name of unit)"

Form No. 18. Consequential to the proposed amendment in Clause 46. The present Form No. 18 reads as follows:

"FORM No. 18

STATEMENT OF ORDINARY RESIDENCE. (Par. 22 (5) and (6))

(Applicable to members of the reserve forces on full-time training or service not on active service during period commencing on date of ordering of general election, or on being placed on active service)

I HEREBY DECLARE

THAT my name is, that my age is,
that my rank is, and that my number is

THAT my place of ordinary residence in Canada immediately prior to:

the commencement of my current continuous period of full-time training or service/and active service,

OR

being placed on active service not immediately preceded by a period of full-time training or service,
as prescribed in paragraph 22 of *The Canadian Forces Voting Regulations*, is

(Insert name of city, town, village, or other place in Canada,

with street address, if any)

I HEREBY DECLARE that what is stated above is true in substance and in fact.

Dated at, this day of, 19

Signature of member of reserve forces.

CERTIFICATE OF DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above mentioned member of the reserve forces of the Canadian Forces, on the date stated above, did make before me the above set forth declaration.

Signature of deputy returning officer.

(Insert rank, number, and name of unit)."

